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NEGOTIATIONS OPENED WITH CZECHO-SLOVAKIA

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Paris, April 19. M. Pierre Laval, the French Foreign Minister, today told the Ministerial Council that M. V. T. Potemkin, the Russian diplomatic representative and the French Foreign Office were now completing the Franco-Soviet non-aggression pact, which was expected to be initialed to-morrow, says the *United Press*.

Meanwhile, according to Reuter, the Czechoslovak Foreign Minister, Dr. Eduard Benes, and the Russian Commissar for Foreign Affairs, M. Maxim Litvinoff, have commenced conversations with a view to arranging a non-aggression treaty along the lines of that being laid down in Paris.

Later reports from Paris, through Reuter, state that though it is learned that an agreement between the French and Russian delegates had been reached in principle, during the discussions at Geneva, the Soviet Government has still to approve certain sections of the draft.

The Soviet Government, for instance, must approve of that clause of the treaty reconning the necessity for rapid assistance, in the case of an unprovoked attack, with France's obligations under the Locarno Pact. In that, France, like Germany, undertakes to respect the Rhine frontier, except in the case of aggression, which is recognised as such by the Council of the League of Nations.

If a final agreement is reached shortly, Reuter concludes, M. Litvinoff may come to Paris to initial the pact on behalf of his Government and M. Laval may postpone his visit to Moscow until after the French Municipal elections on May 6.

DEFENSIVE TREATY

Paris, April 18.

According to a message from Geneva, M. Maxim Litvinoff, the Russian Commissar for Foreign Affairs, and Dr. Benes, the Czechoslovak Foreign Minister, conferred to-day with the object of concluding a Czechoslovak-Pact of mutual assistance, similar to that recently concluded between France and Russia.

Czecho-Slovakian official circles state that the negotiations are proceeding most favourably and that Dr. Benes will probably be visiting Moscow to initial the pact shortly.—Reuter.

Persecuted Pastors

SIX MORE SEIZED IN SAXONY

(Special to "Telegraph")

Berlin, April 19.

Although the Nazi Party is still holding aloof from the Protestant Church conflict—the Party leaders' conference at Munich having ended without formulating any new plan for intervention—the arrests of pastors in Saxony are continuing.

Yesterday 200 Saxony pastors petitioned for the release of their fellow clerics already arrested, demanding that they, too, should be taken into custody unless their colleagues' and comrades-in-faith were given their freedom.

The only developments since the petition was presented to the authorities have been the arrest of six more pastors, whose heads have been shorn, who have been put in convict dress and thrown into concentration camps.—Reuter Special.

FOREIGN LIVES IN DANGER

REDS THREATEN CHENGDU

EVACUATION
BY AIR

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Shanghai, April 19.

For the first time in history an aeroplane has been utilised in the rescue of missionaries from the interior, fourteen foreign women and children evacuating from Chengdu aboard a China National Airways Corporation Ford trimotor plane, and arriving at Chungking last night.

It is estimated that 150 American, English and Canadian missionaries are still in Chengdu, however, not including the children of these families.

The Legations at Nanking report that the roads and river between Chengdu and Chungking are infested with bandits, making the evacuation of the missionaries most difficult.

General Li, Chengdu Defence Commissioner, formally confirmed the request of the missionaries to evacuate by means of the China National Airways plane.

Further alarm has been created in Chengdu by the discovery that some 1,000 odd Communists had made their way into the walled city and were prepared to assist their comrades in the attack which is expected.—United Press.

FAMOUS ESTATE PURCHASED

SCENE OF MACDONALD CLAN MASSACRE

(Special to "Telegraph")

Glencoe, April 19.

The estate of 75 square miles, where the massacre of the Macdonald clan occurred in 1692, has been acquired by an unknown purchaser from Lord Strathcona. The price is not divulged.

The estate was acquired by the first Lord Strathcona over 40 years ago.—Reuter Special.

BRITAIN PONDERS "NEW DEAL"

LLOYD GEORGE AT SECRET PARLEY

HOPES TO WIN SUPPORT

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, April 18.

Mr. David Lloyd George, famous Liberal leader and former Prime Minister of Britain, to-day had a two-hour secret interview with the Cabinet sub-Committee appointed to consider his "New Deal" proposals.

It is understood that Mr. Lloyd George is anxious to sound the Government's attitude towards his scheme to raise a large loan and establish a Development Board for British industry.

It is expected that several further meetings will be necessary before any decision is taken.

After to-day's meeting Mr. Lloyd George appeared in a cheerful mood but declined to divulge what had occurred at the conference.—Reuter Special.

ENOUGH OF POLITICS

UPTON SINCLAIR IN HOSPITAL

(Special to "Telegraph")

Santa Barbara, April 18.

Mr. Upton Sinclair, author of the "Epic Plan," upon which he attempted to rise to the Governorship of the state of California, has announced that he is "quitting politics."

The well-known writer, whose socialist sympathies have won him a following, has entered hospital for the purpose of "recuperating from all the election strain."

"I did my duty," he said. "Now I want to be free. I will leave this work to someone younger. I myself shall return to the business of being a writer."

He characterised his campaign as "a terrible job" and added that "politics is not what it is cracked up to be."—United Press.

ADMINISTERING S.W. AFRICA

NO MENTION OF INCORPORATION

(Special to "Telegraph")

Capetown, April 18.

It is officially announced that a commission has been appointed to draft a new scheme for the administration of South-west Africa. No mention is made of the incorporation of the territory in the Union, but it is provided that due regard must be paid to the status of the district as a mandated territory.

South-west Africa, wrested from German control by British forces during the Great War, has, since 1919, been under British mandate.—Reuter.

STEAMER TURNS TURTLE

CREW OF TWENTY DIES IN RIVER

(Special to "Telegraph")

Shanghai, April 19.

The steamer Kingta, 200 tons, turned turtle in the Yangtze River, outside Wonsung Harbour, to-day.

The entire crew of twenty men was lost.—United Press.



UPSETS IN HOME FOOTBALL

MANCHESTER CITY HUMBLED

HOME TEAMS DEFEATED

London, April 19. Sensational defeats of leading teams on their own grounds featured to-day's English League football. Manchester City, running strongly in the top half of the first division, bowed to Portsmouth before their own supporters, Pompey scoring four times and the City but twice.

In the northern section of the third division Doncaster, the leaders, lost at home to Rotherham, while Crewe and Tranmere, close rivals, drew and lost respectively.

The Arsenal showed they had no intentions of throwing away the championship over the hollies by beating up Middlesbrough at Highbury by eight goals to nil, but West Ham, challenging Brentford for the second division title came a cropper at Blackpool, losing by the odd goal in three.

Charlton, who have a long lead in the southern section of the third division, were held to a draw by Aldershot, and with Reading winning comfortably from Coventry, it is possible that the championship may yet yield an interesting struggle.

The following are the full results as cabled by Reuter.

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal	8	Middlesbrough	0
Aston Villa	1	Huddersfield	2
Chelsea	4	Wolves	1
Grimbsy	3	Leicester	1
Leeds	1	Birmingham	1
Liverpool	5	Stoke	0
Manchester C.	2	Portsmouth	1
Sunderland	3	Preston	1
Tottenham	1	Blackburn	0

SECOND DIVISION

Blackpool	3	West Ham	2
Brentford	1	Bradford	0
Bury	4	Oldham	2
Fulham	0	Newcastle	2
Norwich	7	Sheffield U.	2
Notts F.	3	Hull	1
Port Vale	5	Plymouth	3
		Notts C.	3

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Aldershot	2	Charlton	2
Brighton	2	Southend	2
Bristol C.	2	Bournemouth	1
Cardiff	4	Bristol R.	1
Clapton O.	2	Gillingham	0
Crystal P.	7	Swindon	0
Millwall	0	Northampton	1
Newport	2	Luton	4
Queen's P.R.	5	Torquay	0
Reading	2	Coventry	0
Watford	1	Exeter	1

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Carlisle	0	Rochdale	0
Chester	2	Crewe	2
Cheshfield	1	Wrexham	4
Doncaster	3	Rotherham	5
Gateshead	2	York	1
Lincoln	6	Harrow	0
New Brighton	4	Tranmere	2
Southport	1	Stockport	1
		Hartlepools	1

SHORTAGE OF SILVER

HOPEI RESOURCES DRAINED

(Special to "Telegraph")

Tientsin, April 20. Following a conference of bankers here, the Governor, Mr. Yuh Such-chung, announced that he was preparing measures to prevent the smuggling of silver into Manchuria from Hopei.

During the past fortnight, he stated, at least half a million dollars had been sent out of China.

This means that while British and other holders, who are protected by special agreements, will receive their payments in full in foreign currencies, Americans who receive registered marks will only be able to use them for long-term investment in Germany or convert them into dollars at a considerable discount.

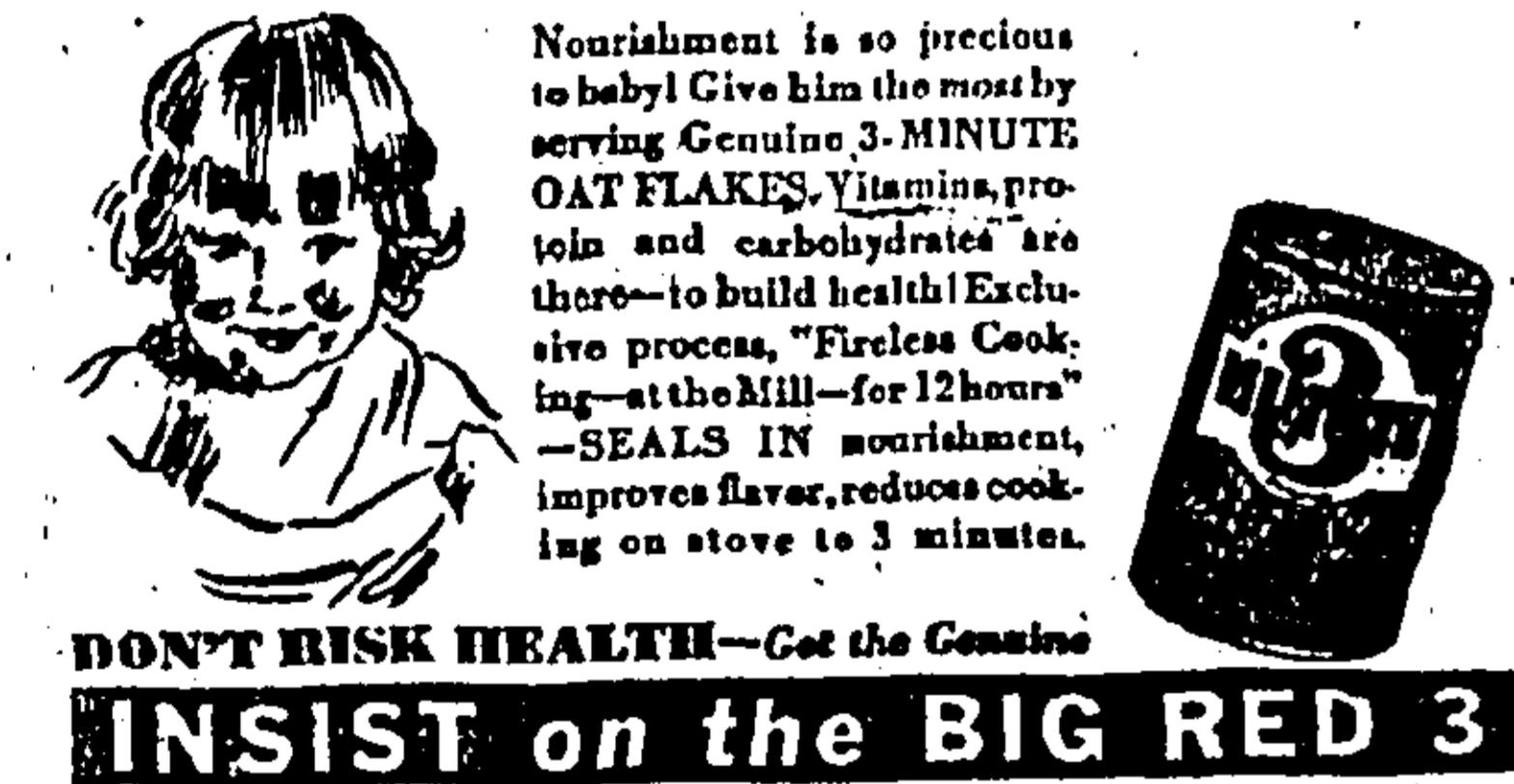
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FILMLAND NEWS

Gwenllian Gill In A British Picture

FEATURE PART

Gwenllian Gill, the Edinburgh girl, who went to Hollywood under the Paramount banner as the result of her success in the "In Search of Beauty" competition, is to make a British film. She has been signed by Fox for a picture in London which is provisionally entitled "White Lilac."

Her contract provides for a feature part.

Production of the film was started recently at the Wembley Park Studios under the direction of Al Parker.

In addition to "In Search for Beauty," Gwenllian Gill appeared, while in America, in "Shock" and "Come On Marines."

It is announced in London that Miss Gill "will play a very important part in one of the most pretentious productions so far handled by British Fox studios at Wembley."

Miss Gill is to play second lead in "White Lilac," a story adapted from the Vienna play, others in the all star cast including Basil Sydney, Judy Gunn, Claude Dampier, of broadcasting fame, Percy Marmont, and Leslie Berries.

"White Lilac" is being produced by Mr. Albert Parker, the famous American producer who discovered, among others, such world-famous film stars as Rudolph Valentino, William Powell, and John Boles. Mr. Parker has directed many notable productions starring Mary Pickford, Douglas Fairbanks, Constance Bennett, and others. One of his big pictures, "The Black Pirate," featured Douglas Fairbanks.

"White Lilac" will take at least three weeks to produce, and it is expected that it will be ready for general release in from three to four months' time.

The Fox Company have great hopes for Miss Gill's future success on the screen. She is stated to be the first "unknown artist" to be chosen by an American film company operating in Britain.

THE PERSECUTED JEW

"The Eternal Wanderer," a Jewish film with a strong propagandist note, rather naive but obviously sincere, will be shown in London shortly.

It was made in New York, with the distinguished Jewish actor, Jacob Ben-Ami, playing the part of the Jew harried through the ages from Ancient Babylon and Egypt to present-day Germany.

Most of the story was made in the studio. But the picture includes three scenes said to have been smuggled out of Germany.

One shows the burning of Jews' books, a long procession casting volume after volume into a bonfire. In the second, hundreds of Jews run through the streets with Nazis in pursuit. The third shows a column of soldiers marching through the streets to a monotonous chant of "Jew! Jew! Jew!"

There is no reference to Herr Hitler.

"The Eternal Wanderer" was banned by the British Board of Film Censors, but has been passed without cuts by the L.C.C. for local exhibition.

JESSIE MATTHEWS AND U.S.

It has been recently reported that Jessie Matthews is about to take up a Hollywood contract. The Gaumont British Corporation makes it clear that this is not likely to happen in the near future.

In October she signed a three years' contract with the Corpora-

GAUGED BODICE

Evening Gown In Three Shades

PURPLE TONING



Illustrating the charming effect of the gauged bodice—a tea gown in mauve crepe. The top is very pale mauve, next comes a band in a deeper tone, and finally one of very deep purple.

RICE FLAN

PREPARE and bake a flan case of short paste, and put into it a thin layer of some favourite jam. Cook two ounces of the best rice in three-quarters of a pint of milk until the liquid is absorbed, cool a little, and add two beaten eggs with sugar and flavouring to taste. Stir over a gentle heat until the eggs are cooked, cool slightly, and pour on to the jam. Serve cold.

during which period she is to make a maximum of nine pictures. At the same time reference was made to a production which had been "deferred until the spring of 1936" for domestic reasons. Work on this particular film will begin immediately she returns from Spain, where she is at present on holiday with her husband, Sonnie Hale.

NEW STUDIO OPENED

The new British Gaumont educational film studio in London was opened recently by Mr. H. Rambetham, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Education.

The Board of Education now make a grant of 50 per cent. to secondary schools and a 20 per cent. grant to elementary schools towards the purchase of cinematograph projectors. Already over 700 schools in Great Britain are equipped with projectors, but as there are over 4,000 secondary schools and more than 24,000 elementary schools in Great Britain the demand for educational films is sure to be greatly increased as more and more of these schools take advantage of this offer.

Gaumont-British educational studios have already turned out 62 educational films, and now that the new studio is completed they hope to turn out at least one film a week of an educational value.

Victorian anglers meanwhile, are engrossed with the problem of the deterioration of fresh-water fishing

Killing Heart Balm Racket

ILLINOIS PLANNING LEGISLATION

RESTRICTING MARRIAGES

Chicago, Apr. 2.

The Illinois Legislature wants to make harder to get married and easier to get divorced.

As a side issue the legislators will consider the "racketeering" aspects of holy matrimony. In prospect is the outlawing of such dubious enterprises as breach of promise and alienation of affections suits.

If the "Heart Balm" suit is not thrown completely into the discard, as in New York, legislation concerning it may be so modified as to make polite blackmail less certain of profit.

Senator Richey V. Graham of Chicago is sponsoring four marriage reform bills prepared by Judge Rudolph F. Desort of Cook County.

Judge Desort's first concern is with marriage born of an alcoholie, rather than romantic, haze. He would grant Justices of the Peace the right to sleep undisturbed through the early morning hours by preventing the "kin marriage" and marriage "for a laugh." His bill would require three days notice of intention to wed.

Another bill would limit separate maintenances to two years, after which a couple would have to become reconciled or divorced.

Judge Desort's most unusual bill would strike at the heart of heart balm racketeers, and end the fear of publicity, by which out-of-court settlements are sometimes achieved. The proposed statute would conceal the identity of defendants in breach of promise or alienation suits unless a preliminary court hearing, held in private, established the reasonableness of the action.

The same safeguard, a private hearing, would protect persons named as co-respondents in certain types of divorce suits.

Representative J. M. Turner would prohibit alienation of affections suits altogether and Representative Frank G. Ring also.

Another measure, proposed by Representative Edward Sattler of Chicago, would require that a certificate of good health, obtained from a physician, be presented with each application for a marriage licence.—United Press.

BLACK MARLIN ON THE HOOK!

Exciting battles, in which five launches were engaged, resulted in the landing of two giant swordfish (the species known as Black Marlin) at Narooma, New South Wales, recently. One of them, which weighed 360 lbs, an Australian record, and which was 11 feet long and 6 feet in girth, was landed after a three hour struggle in a rough northerly sea.

Usually, a thousand feet of line is used to land the Black Marlin, the fisherman being harnessed to a swivel chair in order to play the fish more effectively.

Victorian anglers meanwhile, are engrossed with the problem of the deterioration of fresh-water fishing

in recent years. They have asked the Government to appoint a biologist and to undertake a complete survey of all lakes and streams.

RECORDS FOR CHILDREN

F3750. NURSERY RHYMES. Vocal George Baker.

F5309/10/11. MOTHER GOOSE RHYMES. Vocal, Frank Luther.

F2697. THE PREACHER AND THE BEAR. Alber Whelan. Comedian.

F1656/57. THE HUMS OF POOH. Vocal. Dale Smith and Leslie Howard.

DB327/28. NURSERY RHYMES MEDLEY. New Century Quartet.

4104/05. 06/07. FOURTEEN SONGS FROM 'WHEN WE WERE VERY YOUNG. Vocal J. Dale Smith.

DB452. TRADITIONAL NURSERY RHYMES. Vocal. Annette Blackwell.

DB706. TRADITIONAL NURSERY RHYMES. Vocal. Annette Blackwell.

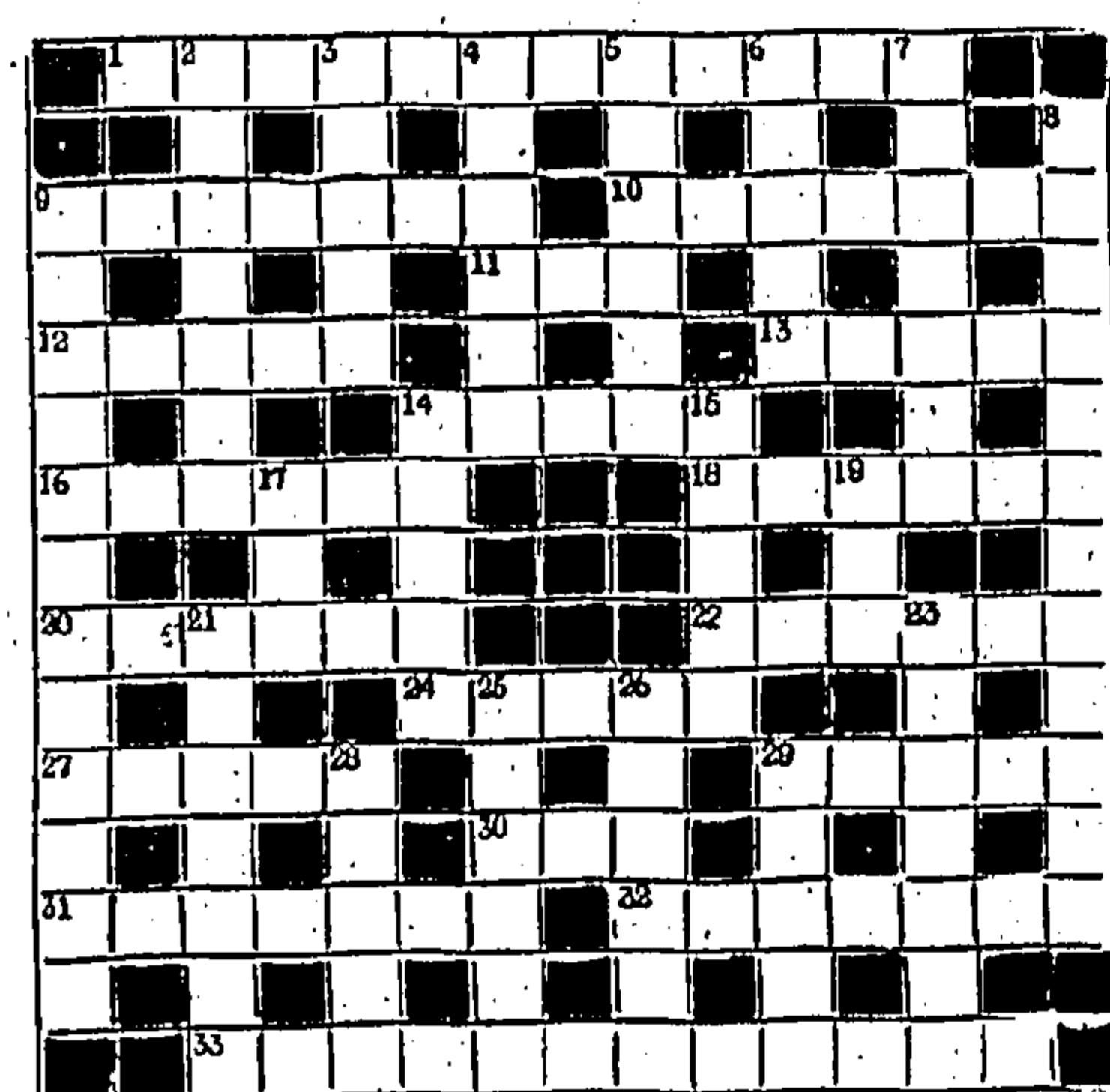
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- 11 These fables are famous.
- 12 Letters for his Majesty.
- 13 Reduced weights as very often written are what you want.
- 14 Decoration of a high order (hyphen).
- 15 It's not very nice to be up a tree, but it's grand to be under one, isn't it?
- 16 Quite a small layer.
- 17 There's plenty of space (rev.).
- 18 Sovereign.

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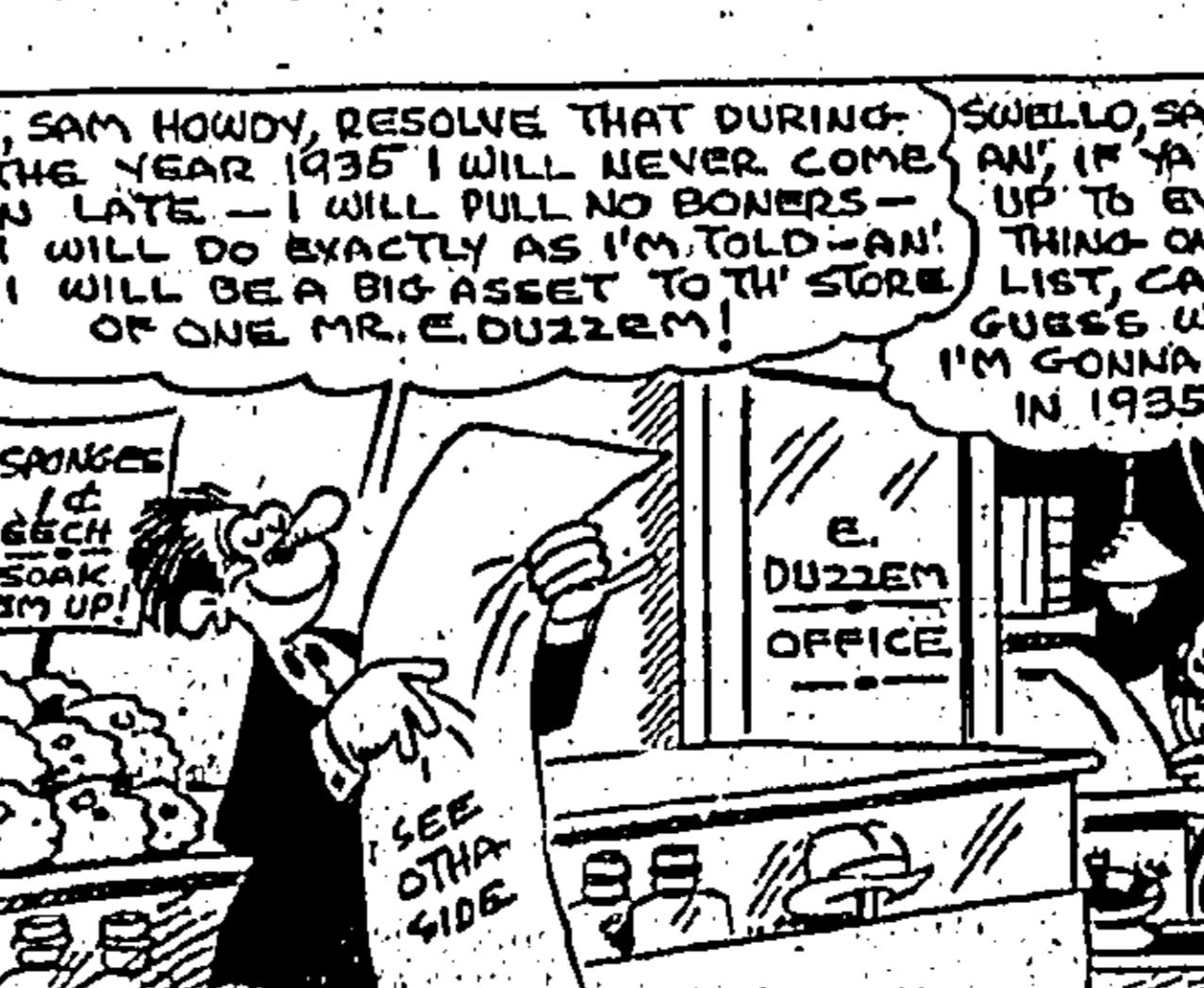
- 2 Give this drug to a horse to make it ambitious.
- 3 Sonar (anag.).
- 4 How a bruise may make more work.
- 5 Word in one of the next four clues.
- 6 Take apart.

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SHAMELESS LIAR

JUDGE'S COMMENT IN NULLITY SUIT

WEAK, HARMLESS HUSBAND

I judge her, after seeing her for a day, to be a liar of no common calibre. I am satisfied that her evidence was a tissue of falsehoods from beginning to end, and that she has shown herself to be a versatile, shameless, and practised liar."

These strong comments were made by Mr. Justice Langton in the London Divorce Court, in giving judgment dismissing a petition for nullity of marriage.

The comments were made regarding Mrs. Ethel Mabel Patricia Neal, of the Army and Navy Hotel, Queen's Gate, London, who petitioned against Mr. George Neal, a building contractor, of Park Lodge, St. John's Wood, alleging the non-consummation of the marriage through his incapacity.

The case revealed a married life of ten weeks between a woman of 31 and a man of 73.

The ceremony of marriage took place on November 30, 1933, at Marylebone Register Office, and there was a separation in February 1934.

On May 17, 1934, Mrs. Neal filed a petition for the restitution of conjugal rights, and the husband, by his answer, pleaded just cause for leaving his wife. That petition was dismissed on the wife's application.

By his answer to the nullity suit Mr. Neal denied his wife's allegations, and he, in turn, petitioned for a decree of judicial separation. His charges were denied by Mrs. Neal.

JUDGE'S DECISION

Mr. Justice Langton, giving judgment, said that Mrs. Neal was a woman of Irish extraction and was now 33. She was trained as a nurse. For several years she was in close and constant attendance upon the late Sir Henry Randall, who died at an advanced age leaving some rather singular provisions in favour of Mrs. Neal in his will. Mr. Neal had amassed a considerable fortune as a contractor.

When they were married Mr. Neal gave his age correctly as 73. Mrs. Neal gave her age as 26, whereas her real age was 31.

After ten weeks Mr. Neal went from the flat in which they were living in London, leaving a letter in which he said that he could not stand the strain of married life and that she had made married life between them quite impossible.

The Judge said that Mrs. Neal appeared to be completely and utterly unreliable witness. She has admitted falsifying public documents, two passports, and an entry in a marriage certificate. Two of them were with regard to her age, and one must feel towards her that she was a woman who was endeavouring to preserve the legend of her age.

Some of the statements by Mrs. Neal were grossly and wildly untrue, while Mr. Neal was an honest and reliable witness.

In his Lordship's view the marriage had been consummated, and the petition of Mrs. Neal fall-

ed, and would be dismissed.

"I have been considering, in view of Mrs. Neal's flagrant perjury," added his Lordship, "whether I should send the papers in this case to the Public Prosecutor. I have decided that, so far as I am concerned, it is probably sufficient punishment for her to know that she is shamed before the world as a malicious liar, who has endeavoured to fasten on her weak, kindly, and harmless husband the burden of her own disreputable conduct."

Mr. Norman Birkett, K.C., referring to the husband's petition for judicial separation, said this would stand out of the list, with liberty to restore. He hoped that an arrangement would be reached between the parties and that the Court would not be troubled any further with the matter.

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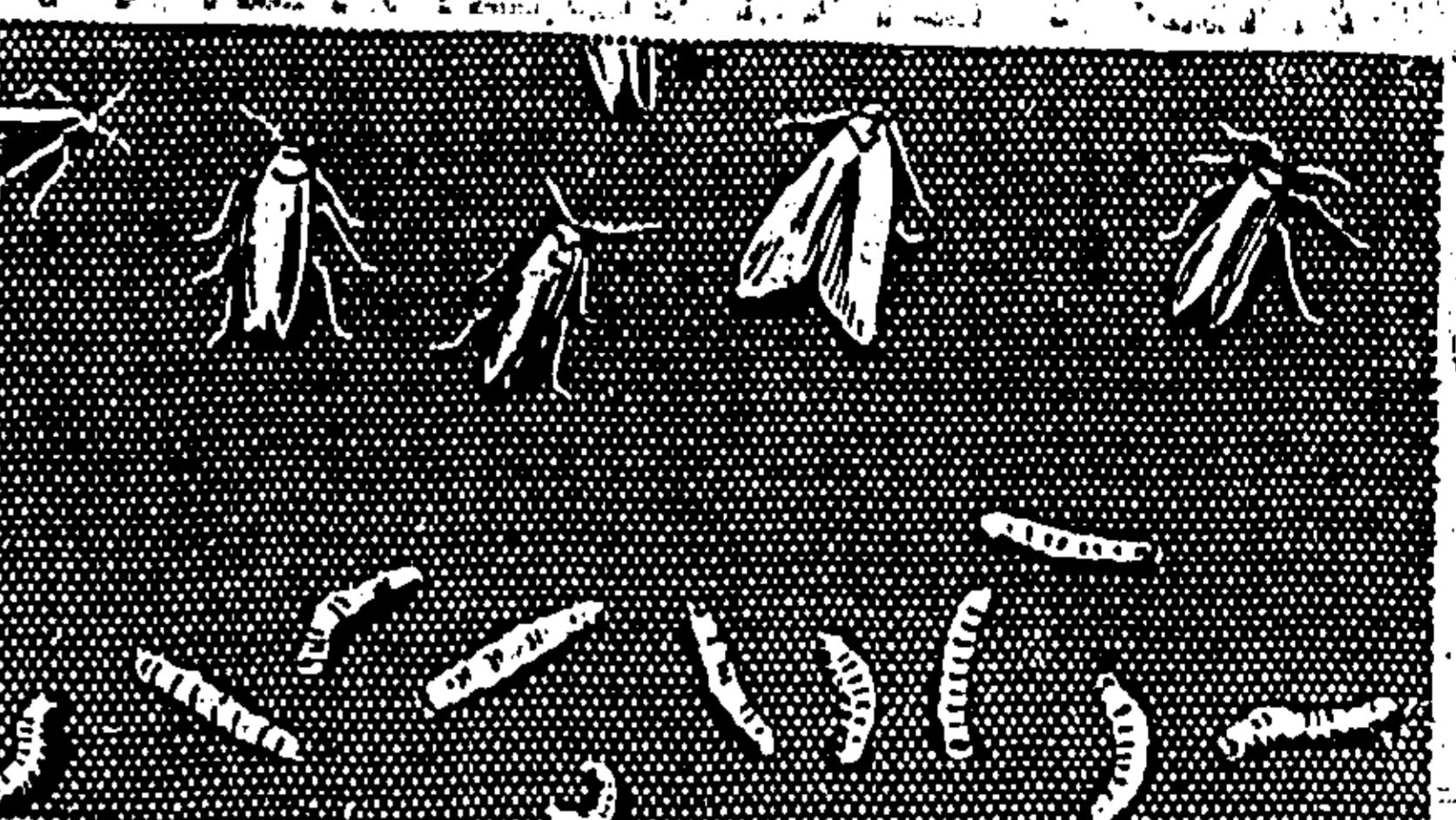


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THEFT OF GOLD AT CROYDON

(Continued from Page 6.)

King's Cross at 4 a.m. on March 6.

Manson said he might have said that, but was very doubtful, at the time.

The Magistrates' Clerk.—Did you say it?—No.

Mr. Brooks again asked whether Manson made that part of the statement, and this time Manson said that he did say it.

Mr. Brooks.—It was true, was it not?—I was very doubtful.

'TOOK FOUR MEN'

Mr. Brooks.—Did you go on to say: "... and drove to Purley Way"?—All I know is that I took four men to Purley Way.

Mr. Brooks then read from the statement: "... and about 20 minutes later that same morning Kruschen Salts, I have been taking it for some time and have found great relief. I thought you would like to know it has done me a world of good."

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Manson.—I don't remember saying that.

Mr. Brooks.—Did you then say this: "... and I drove him with two others to 3, Pemberton Road, Harringay"?—I am not quite sure if I said it or not.

And did you go on to say: "I have no doubt whatever in my mind that he is the man"?—No, I did say I was very doubtful.

Manson said that a man he saw on March 6 resembled O'Brien. He denied having said that there was no possible doubt as to the identity. He did not protest when the statement was read over to him, but was very doubtful and still was. He told the officer he was "very doubtful about the old gentleman" (O'Brien).

Mr. Davis (defending Mazzarda) said that he was not concerned with what Manson had said in statements but with what he had said on oath, and that was that neither Mazzarda nor O'Brien was there that night. Later he would have a submission to make to the Bench in view of Manson's evidence.

Detective-sergeant Wyman said that he took two statements from Manson which he read over and which Manson signed. Manson made no protest whatever.

Alfred George King of Thorne-loc Gardens, Waddon, stated that on March 6 when cycling to work he passed a taxicab in Purley Way. Later the taxicab overtook him. In front of it there was a car which had a dirty hood and a dirty greenish body.

GOLD GONE

Evidence in regard to the transfer of the keys of the bullion room on the night of March 6 was given by witnesses employed by Imperial Airways. George Ashton, export clerk, who said he received the keys at about 7.30 a.m. on March 6, stated: "I opened the outer door of the bullion room and then found that the key for the inner door would not turn in the lock. The door was already unlocked and inside I saw an empty barrow."

Detective-sergeant Herbert Cory, stationed at Harlesden, identified Mazzarda as a man he knew.

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Duncan said: "That is just what we intend to do."

On the dining room table they found a newspaper open with pencil marks on it and an Imperial Airways time-table. In the pocket of a jacket in a bedroom they found a key, which had wards at each end.

Mr. Hollier.—"We are told that it does not open a door. If it does not it is not material."

The Clerk.—"Anything is material evidence if it is found on a man."

The Inspector said that scattered over the bedroom floor he found 19 nailheads, a piece of metal band, portion of a seal, and two nails. In a refuse pile in the scullery there were five burnt seals bearing the name Japicot and Co., Limited, one piece of string, 12 burnt nails, and a quantity of charred wood. In the house they also found a portion of plasticine, a box of plasticine, a piece of paper relating to "kilos," and another piece of paper bearing the name and address of the wife of an Imperial Airways pilot who lived about three-quarters of a mile from the aerodrome. The house was to be let about a month ago. When told he would be charged, Swanland said: "Very well, I am saying nothing."

WOULD NOT OPEN DOOR

Inspector Widdocks said the key fitted the keyhole of the inner door of the bullion room, but although it turned some of the levers of the lock it would not open the door. On March 20, he told Mazzarda



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that he answered the description of a man whom the police wished to interview, and Mazzarda replied: "I know nothing about it. The best thing you can do is to let me be identified." He was placed for identification with 10 other men and immediately identified by the witness Manson, who picked out Mazzarda without any hesitation whatever.

Giving evidence of the arrest of O'Brien on March 12, Inspector Widdocks said that at Croydon he gave the name of John O'Brien, aged 80, a dealer of no fixed abode,

and was identified by Manson. Afterwards O'Brien gave his age as 74. He made no reply to the actual charge.

This concluded the case for the prosecution, and Mr. Davis submitted that there was not sufficient evidence against O'Brien to send him for trial. The only evidence against O'Brien was the evidence of a man whom the Bench had allowed to be treated as hostile and who was obviously an unreliable witness.

The Clerk.—"You should say: 'The chief evidence against him,'"

because there is also the evidence that he picked out O'Brien.

Mr. Davis also submitted that the position was similar in regard to Mazzarda, and that there was no evidence on which a jury could convict.

Plains of "Not Guilty" on behalf of all three men, who reserved their defence, were entered, and they were committed for trial at Croydon Quarter Sessions on April 26.

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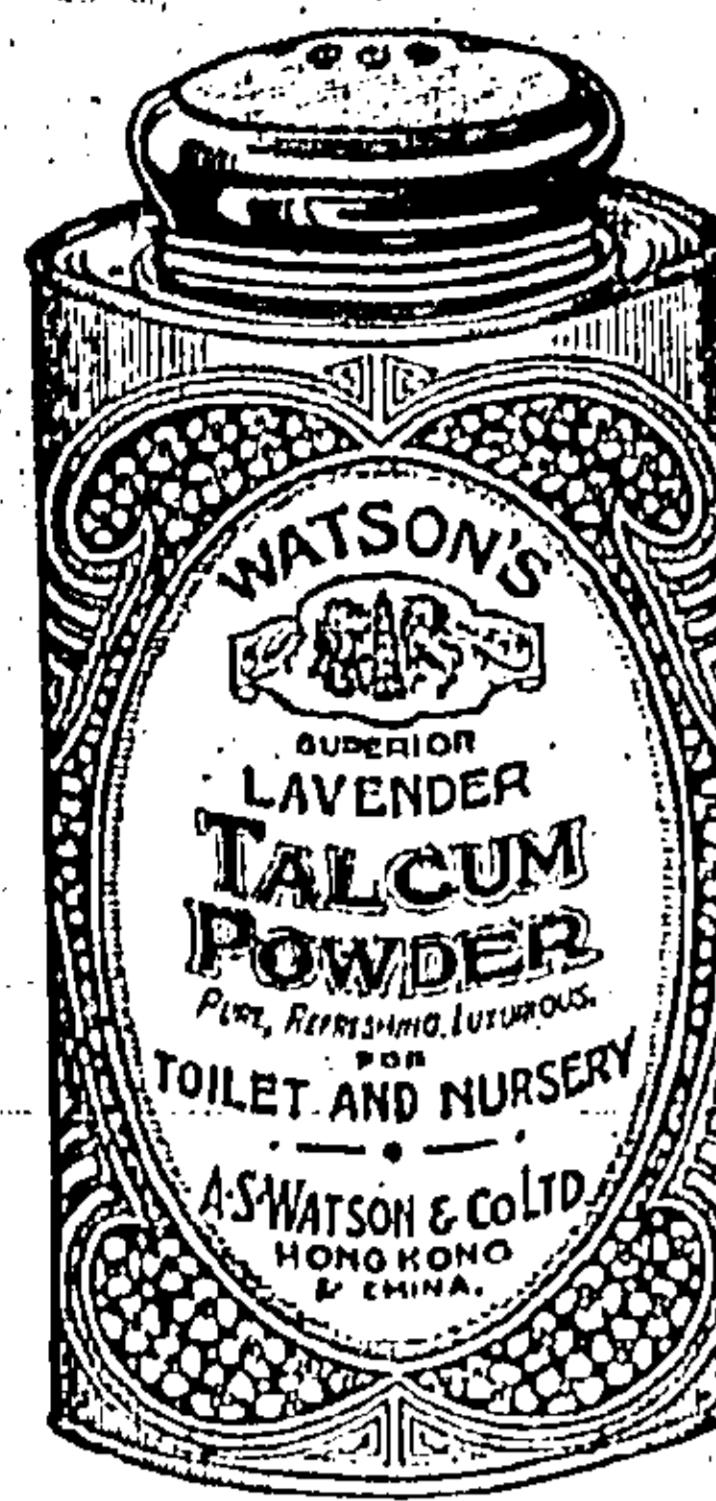
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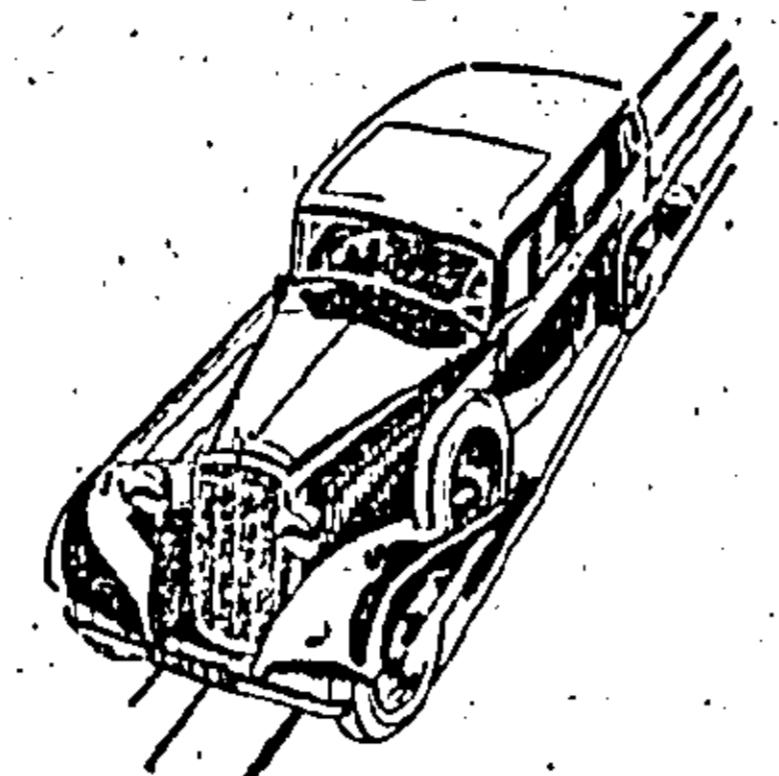
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SATURDAY, APRIL 20, 1935.

THE LEAGUE AND GERMANY

By a unanimous vote, Denmark only abstaining from recording its view, the League of Nations Council has expressed its condemnation of Germany's infringement of the terms of the Versailles Treaty. It is difficult to see, in the circumstances, what other action it could take. Germany is angered at having been—specifically—indicted—but she surely cannot take exception to the main grounds on which the condemnatory resolution was based. These were (1) that scrupulous regard for all treaty obligations is a fundamental principle of international life, being an essential condition of the maintenance of peace; and (2) that it is an essential principle of the law of nations that no nation has power to liberate itself from the engagements of a treaty, nor to modify its stipulations, except by consent of the other contracting parties. The whole structure of international law rests on these bases. Inasmuch as Germany has admittedly infringed the military clauses of the Versailles Treaty, she has, in the words of the resolution, introduced a new and disturbing element into the international situation—one which could not possibly pass unnoticed. The whole point is that no nation has the right to be a law unto itself. Conceding that Germany had a genuine grievance, there were right and wrong methods of getting it remedied; she took the wrong method, and is therefore rightly adjudged to be at fault. Her action might conceivably have been condoned had there been no disposition on the part of the other Powers to make concessions in her favour. Actually, the Powers had long since indicated a willingness to revise the terms of the Versailles Treaty—a circumstance which rendered the German action not only unnecessary, but unjustifiable. It is worthy of emphasis, however, that the Powers have in no sense sought to ostracise Germany, but are still anxious that she should, as Mr. Ramsay

NOTES OF THE DAY

NEW FEAR

"Statesmen and people," says the *Christian Science Monitor*, "to-day are calculating frankly on the devastating bombardment of their capitals, and their homes, by enemy air fleets swooping down from above the clouds before there has even been a declaration of war. The rapid development of war planes has put the political and economic hearts of many countries within minutes of potential enemy lines." That was the situation which lay behind the attempt of France and Great Britain when they attempted, in February, to set up an "Air Locarno" and bring within the scope of the proposed agreement all the European powers, including Germany. That was the position when, a few days after the Franco-British suggestion went to Berlin, Germany announced her intention of rearming and admitted, at the same time, that rearmament, at least to a certain extent, had been accomplished. All of this in ancient history now, following the Stresa conference, the League Council's resolution of condemnation of the German policy and the announcement of plans for a conference of nations in Rome. But these two points must not be forgotten when the position in Europe is considered at any future time. No matter what justice there may be in the German claim that the other signatories had not adhered to the letter of their contracts in the Versailles Treaty, no matter how it is argued that by its rebuke to Berlin the League Council has complicated the European situation, it must be remembered that France and Britain, with the sympathetic support of other nations, had on February 3 formulated a scheme which would have gone far towards assuring the world of continued security by binding nations in an "Air Locarno." And on the very eve of the extension of this proposal, Germany announced she would rearm.

INTO THE FIRE

But if Germany hoped to better her position by this move, if she truly believed that her security was threatened and that her only means of securing adequate safety was the mobilising of a powerful land force, it is to be feared she blundered badly. Germany's rearmament galvanised into feverish activity her neighbour powers. France hastened to increase her defences on the land and in the air, and extended her hand to Russia. If the encirclement, which Germany avowedly feared before February, was a menace before to the Reich, it is increasingly dangerous to the German peace of mind to-day. France and Russia, whose fighting forces at the moment are unquestionably the greatest in the world, have formed an alliance which requires only the signatures of their respective Governments to make it binding; if it is not already. Furthermore, added to the suspicions which her earlier acts had aroused in the Soviet Government, Germany's attitude to Versailles and armaments has crystallised the belief in Russia that she is intent upon avenging her defeat of 1918 and bent upon extending her sphere of influence by conquest. M. Maxim Litvinoff, the Russian Foreign Commissar, who is not the sort of man to make charges without some evidence to back them, has bluntly declared that these are the motives underlying Germany's latest activities. Russia is naturally apprehensive; she is not sure, if Germany intends to strike a blow, in which direction it will be aimed. That, in all probability, is the reason for the welcome accorded the French suggestion that a defensive treaty be arranged. In this light it would appear that the German diplomacy, or lack of it, has landed the country in a hotter place than the proverbial frying pan.

MacDonald expressed it; make an adequate contribution towards the building up of mutual trust and confidence. Such co-operation would obviously be to the interest of Germany, as well as to that of the European nations in general. The fact is that Europe is at the cross-roads and must face up to cardinal principles. Security can only be achieved by collective guarantee. Experience has shown that it cannot be safely entrusted to national armaments, however powerful they may be. Two facts stand out clearly. Competitive armaments are the instruments of international anarchy, which is the parent of war. The collective peace system is the best instrument for pooled security, and can become the parent of disarmament. It is for Germany and the other European nations to co-operate in a recognition of these points. Only by such means can there be any real assurance of the preservation of peace.

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BULLS AND INNERS

From the Office Butts

Paper that cannot be torn has been invented in Japan. That will be fine for international treaties.

Harsh cries of crows recently spoilt an outdoor talkie shot. Caws and defect.

A penguin has been heard over the radio. The penguin has many natural advantages, as it has a built-in dress suit.

"The examination system in schools won't last," asserts a lecturer. Merely a "passing" phase.

Playing draughts is said to improve the temper. Naturally one takes care not to be huffed too easily.

"Trapeze work by man of seventy." Having a high old time.

A local doctor thinks germs are carried on overcrowded buses. In that case we think they should be made to stand like the rest of us.

A friend is ashamed to keep the \$2.50 he borrowed, but not the \$2.50 book lent to him.

Now that an aeroplane engine that will run on castor oil has been invented, maybe somebody will find a use for spinach juice.

Stratosphere picture makes the earth look like a chess-board. Yes, everybody is trying to keep one jump ahead.

"Talking bun for card players." What!

A falling off in demand for safety pins is noted among industrial items. Among all the signs of returning confidence, we like this one best.

We can forgive anybody for not knowing much if only he does not insist upon proving it in a two-hour speech.

The accident situation would be much improved if we'd all only drive at the speed to which we slow down when we see a traffic policeman.

A man advertises his willingness to solve cross-word puzzles at \$1 each. Now all we need is someone to play our golf for us.

There's always a trick in it. High-priced gadgets will do the housework, but you have to stay home and steer them.

Every orator has his moment, says a writer. But too many of them extend their moment into hours.

You can't act rich all at once. It takes practice to get the right tone when you say, "my good man."

They are experimenting now with sending mail by rockets, it seems a foolish waste of money. We get all our bills the first day of the month as it is.

"Old Boys' Body," says heading. No; it wasn't a tragedy—merely the creation of a Nat Students' Association by one of the local colleges.

Foreigners learn our language quicker than the baby does. You see, they aren't asked. "Does um wanna dinky wawwak?"

It wouldn't be a bad idea to put the designers of the bathing suits in charge of cutting government budgets.

In spite of several years of retirement, they say, Bobby Jones still keeps well out of the 80s at golf. It is a point of resemblance between our game and Mr. Jones.



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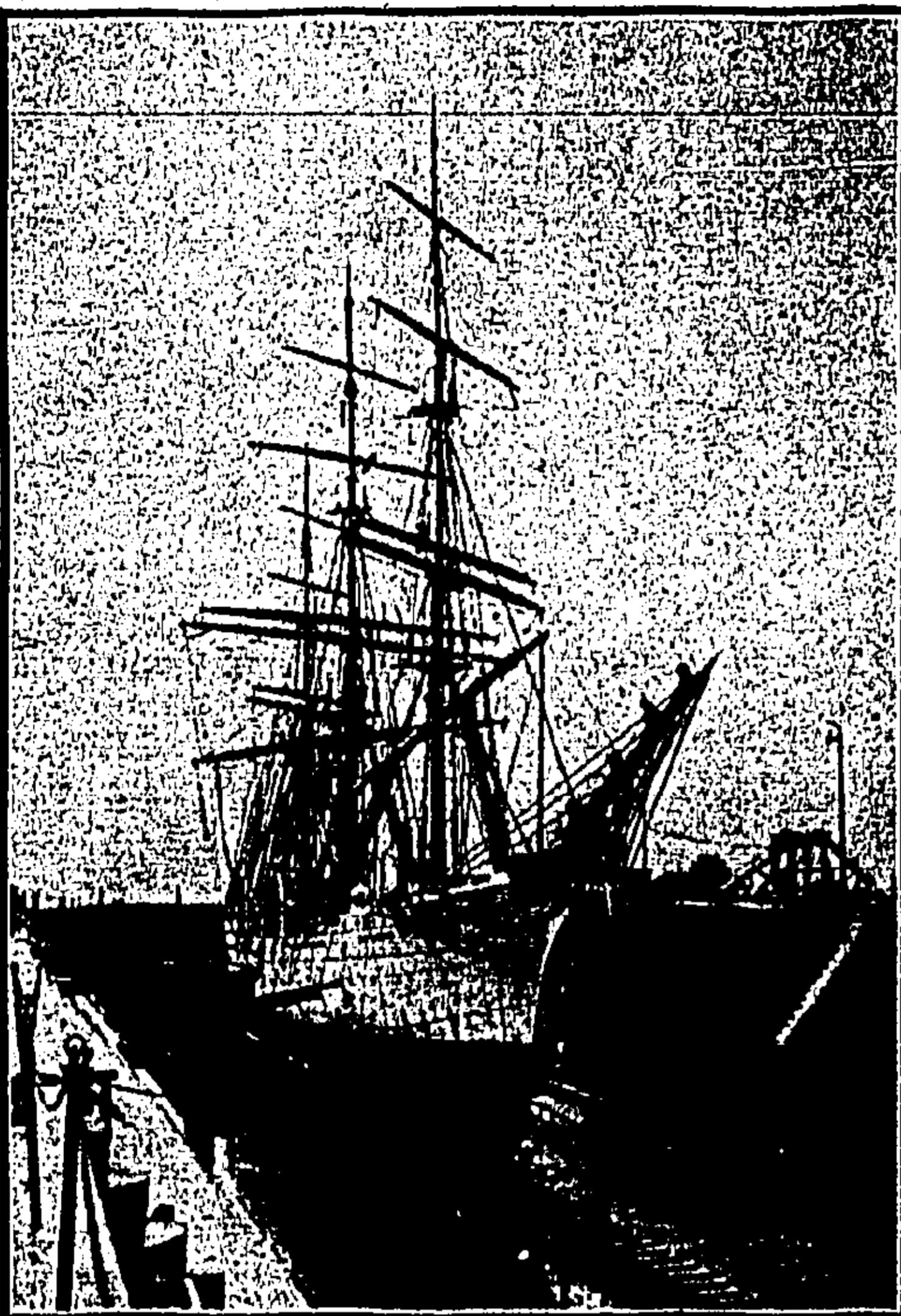
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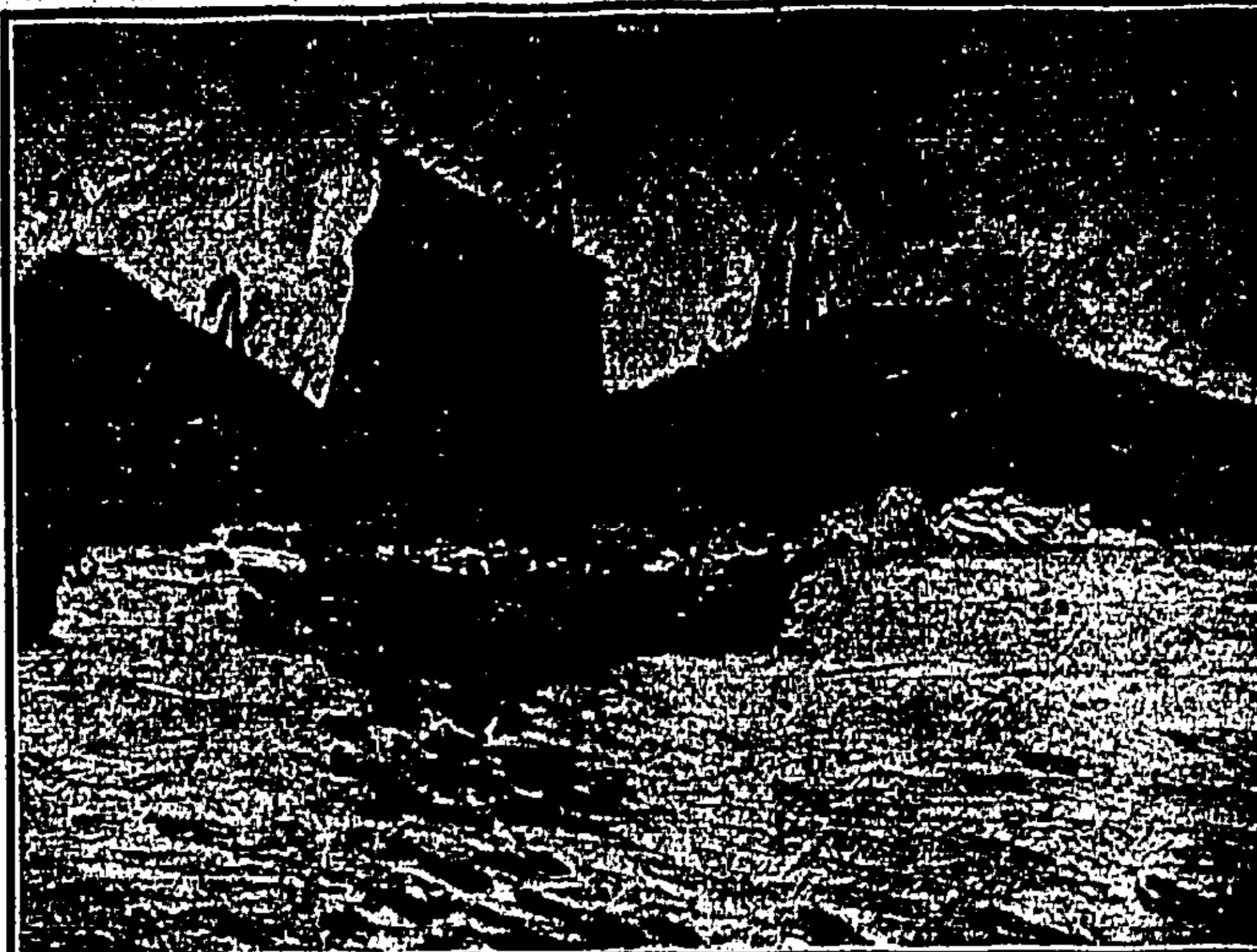
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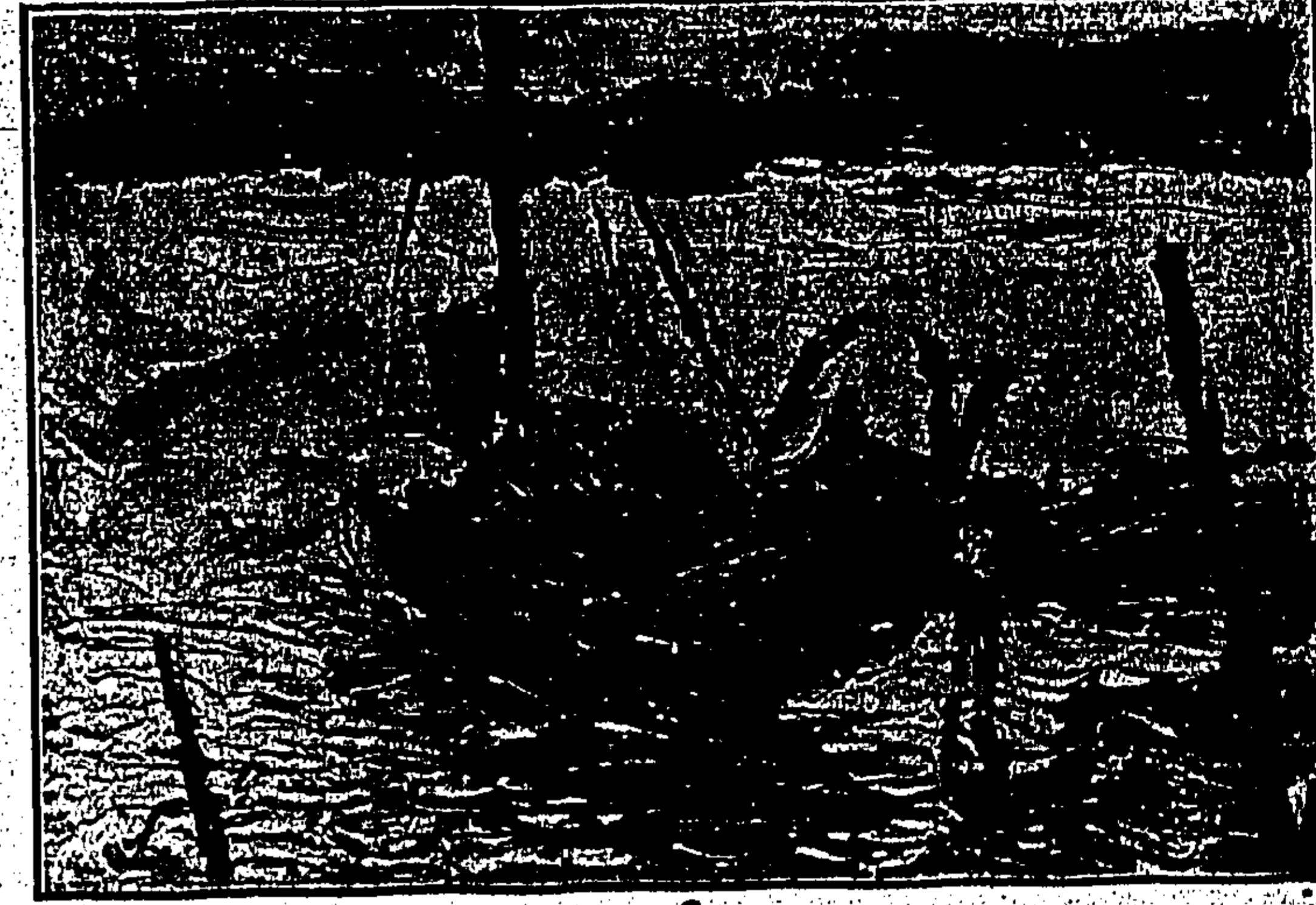
CIRCULATION



Photograph of the Polish training ship Dar Pomorza, in the No. 1 dock of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.



Study in oils of a salt junk, the work of Mr. Luis Chan, clever local artist, whose display at Gloucester Building this week attracted much attention.



Another of Mr. Luis Chan's studies. He will give a further exhibition of his work at the Chinese Y.M.C.A. on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday next.



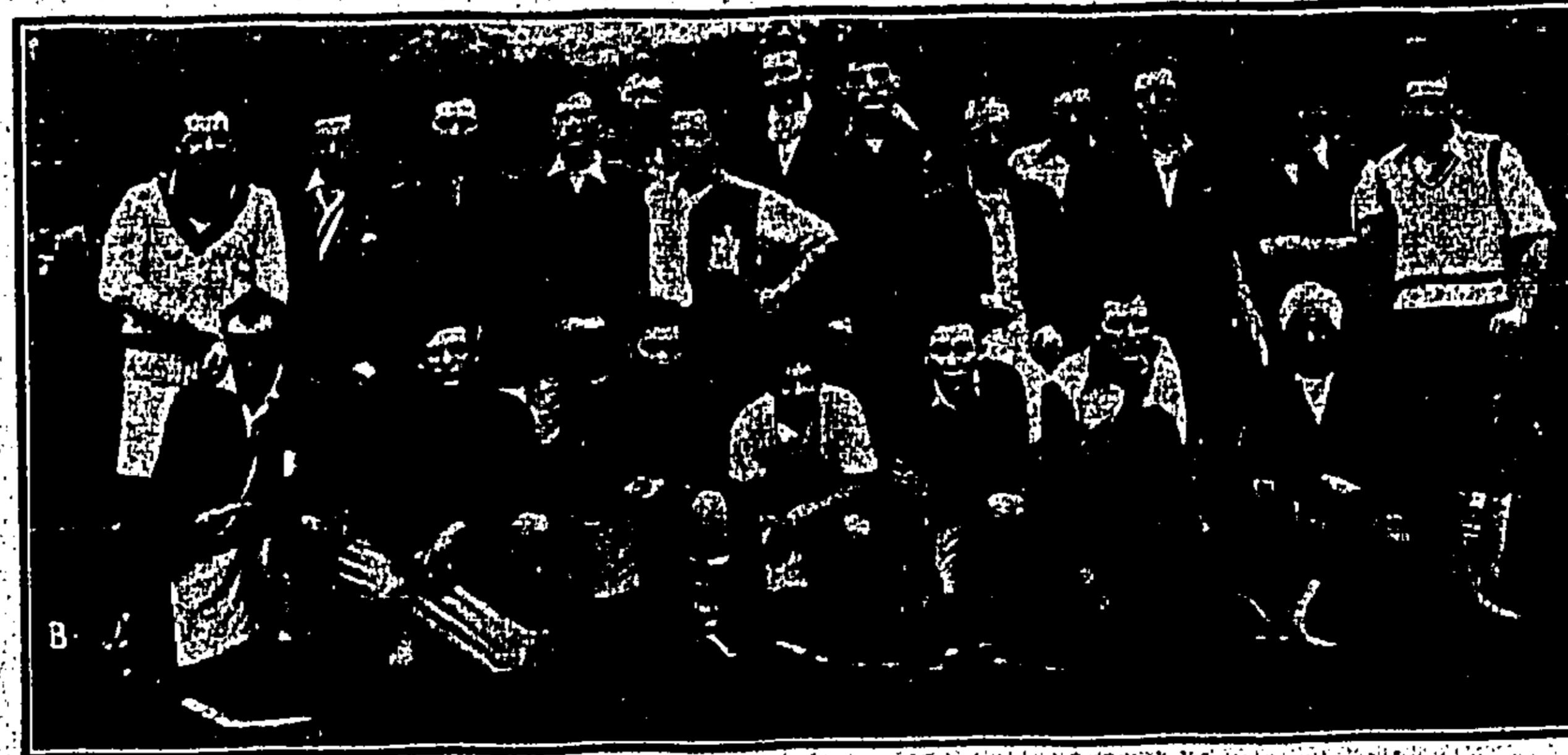
A remarkably good picture of the Senior Shield final in progress, in which South China "B" defeated the Police. (Photo: Mac Cheung).



Lady Southorn presenting the Senior Shield to Lee Wei-tong, of the South China "B", after the final on Saturday. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



The Maypole—one of the most attractive events at the Quarry Bay School spring festival. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



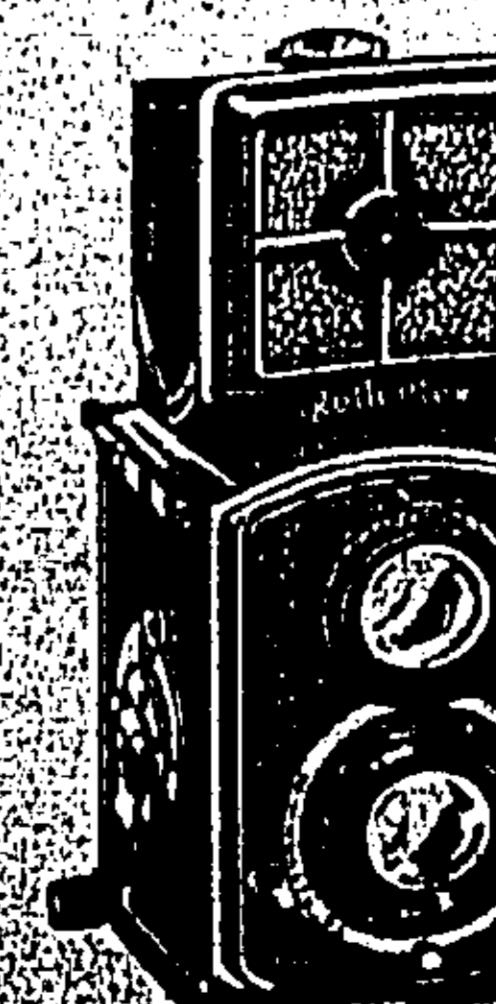
The Hongkong hockey team defeated the team representing the Shanghai German Hockey Club on Saturday. Picture shows players who took part in the game. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



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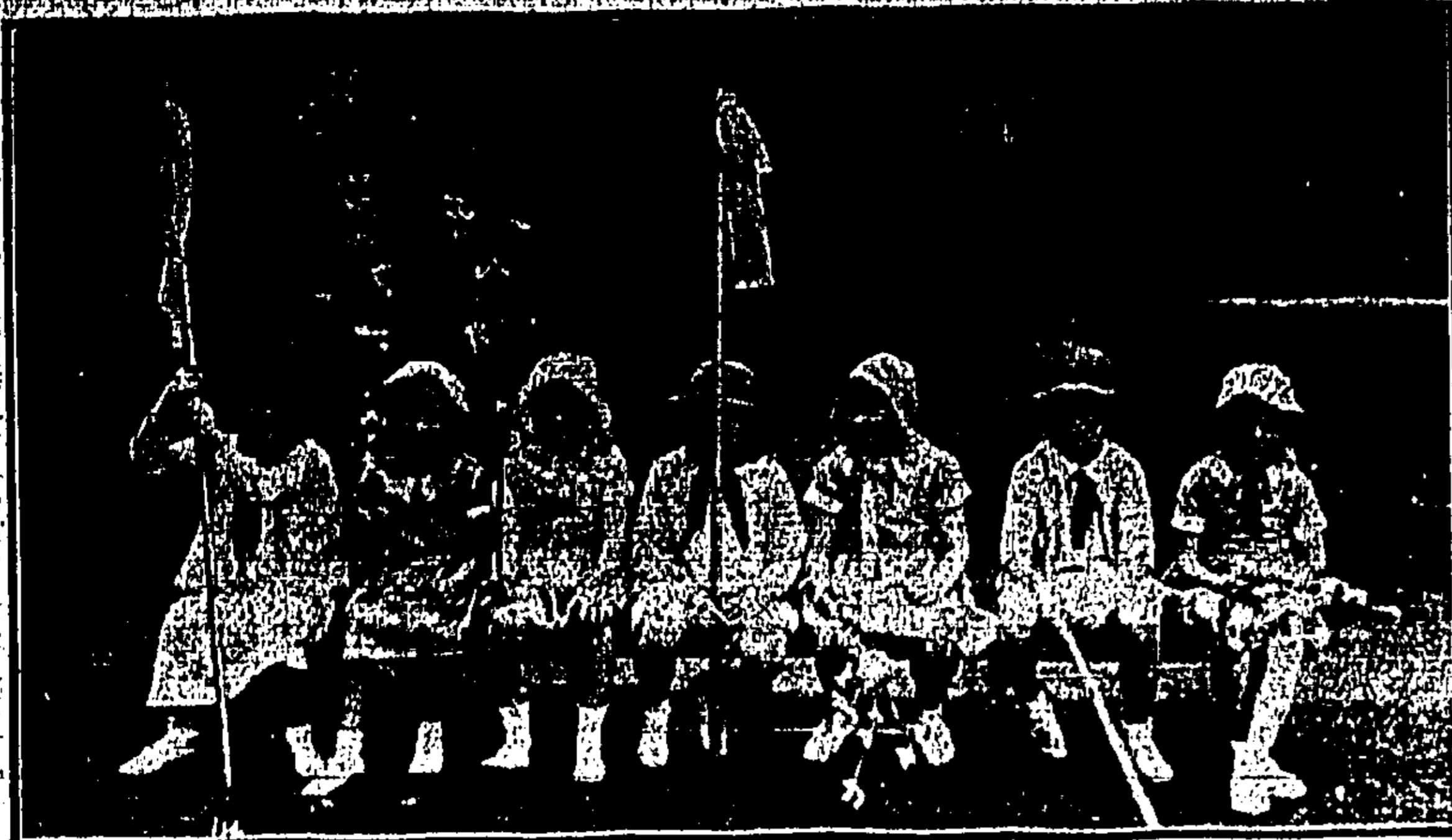
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Students of St. Mary's School, Kowloon, giving an effective drill display. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



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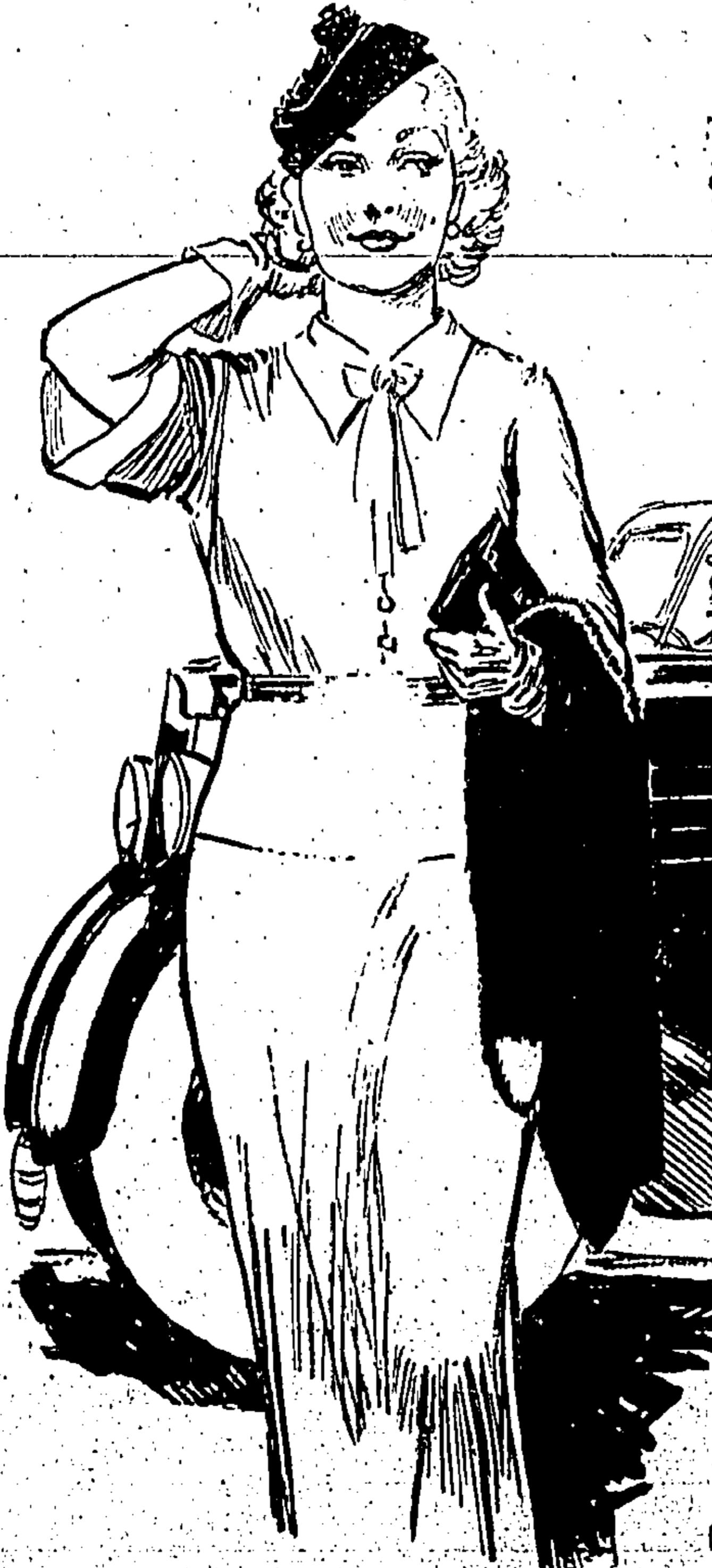
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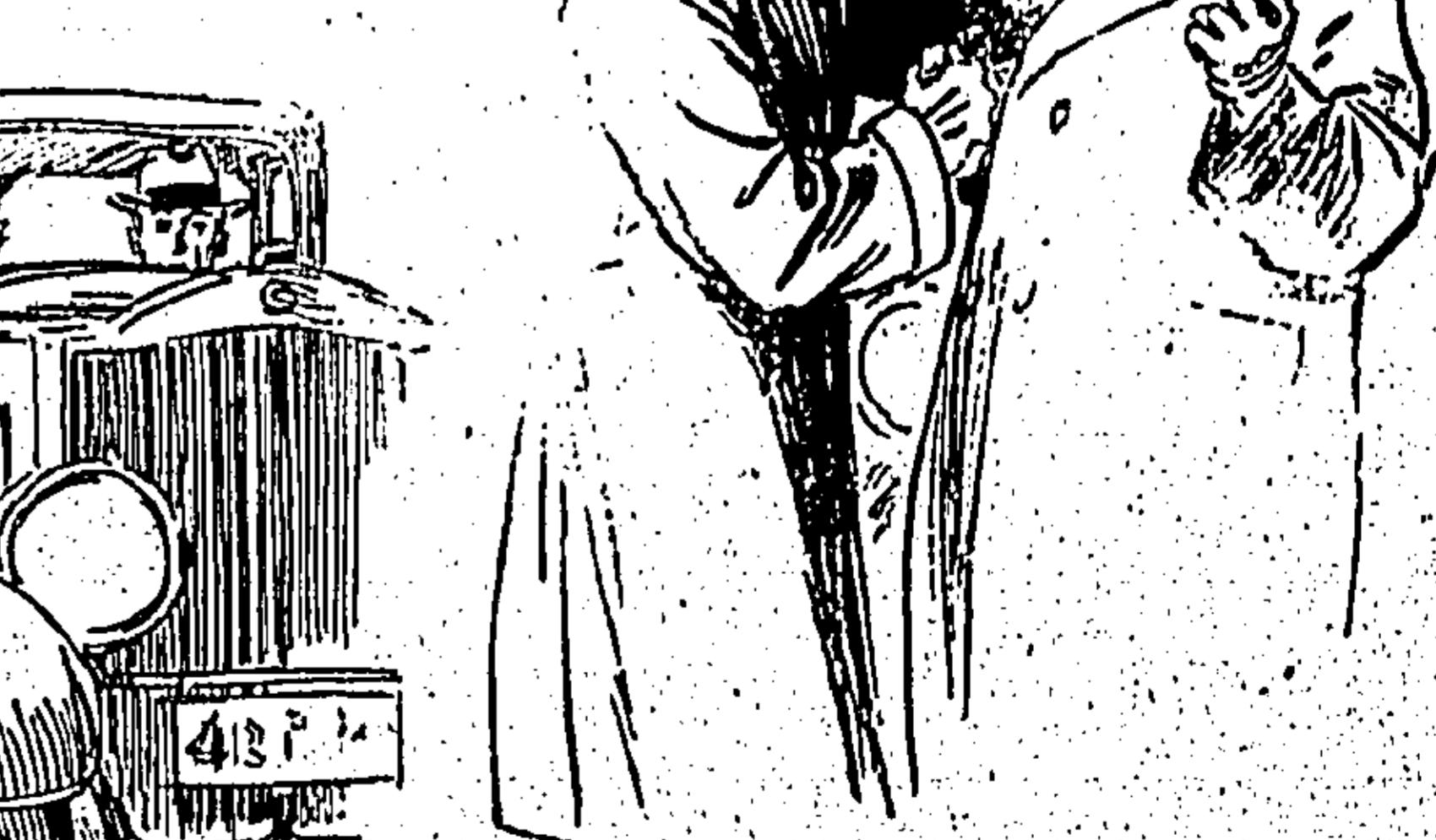
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THEFT OF GOLD AT CROYDON

THREE MEN SENT FOR TRIAL

A HOSTILE WITNESS

The three men who have been arrested on the charge of being concerned in the theft of gold from the strong-room at Croydon Aerodrome on the night of March 5-6 were before the magistrates at Croydon Police Court recently.

The defendants were Cecil Swanland, 47, artist, no fixed abode, but stated at the last hearing to have had rooms at 3, Pemberton Road, Harringay; Silvio Mazzarda, 38, commission agent, of Vine Street, Clerkenwell Road, E.C.; and John O'Brien, 74, dealer, no fixed abode.

The men were each charged with being concerned with others in breaking and entering the bullion room at Croydon Aerodrome between March 5 and 6 and stealing three boxes containing three bars of gold, 5,000 U.S.A. gold coins, and 5,800 sovereigns, the whole valued at £21,000, the property of Machinery and Technical Transport Limited, South Street, E.C.

Mr. Graham Brooks appeared for the prosecution; Swanland was represented by Mr. R. C. M. Heller, solicitor, and Mazzarda and O'Brien by Mr. J. Davis, solicitor.

When the hearing was resumed Mr. Graham Brooks stated that it might have appeared from his opening statement last week that there was only one man on duty at the aerodrome. That was so, so far as the staff of Imperial Airways was concerned, but the Air Ministry had patrols on duty at night, and there were two men appointed by the Air Ministry on duty that night.

HOSTILE WITNESS

The taxicab driver, Manson, who is stated by the prosecution to have driven four men from King's Cross to Croydon on the night in question and three of them and certain boxes back to Harringay, was then recalled. At the last hearing Mr. Graham Brooks was given permission to treat Manson as a hostile witness.

Replying to Mr. Brooks, Manson said that after attending an identification parade on March 12 he made and signed a statement, but he could not remember if it was read over to him. He was allowed to read over the statement to refresh his memory.

Asked if he had stated that a man whom he knew as Shonk was one who drove a small car up to his cab at Croydon, Manson said: "I don't think it was so. I don't remember saying it." Further questioned about sentences in the statement, Manson said he could not remember what he did say or sign.

Manson said that when he was asked to pick out Shonk he was not in such a state that he did not know what he was doing. He denied having said that Shonk was one of the four men he drove from King's Cross to Croydon. He was simply asked if he knew a man named Shonk, and said he did.

Mr. Brooks.—Is the position this:—That you knew what you were doing in part of the statement, but you did not know what you were doing when you made other parts?

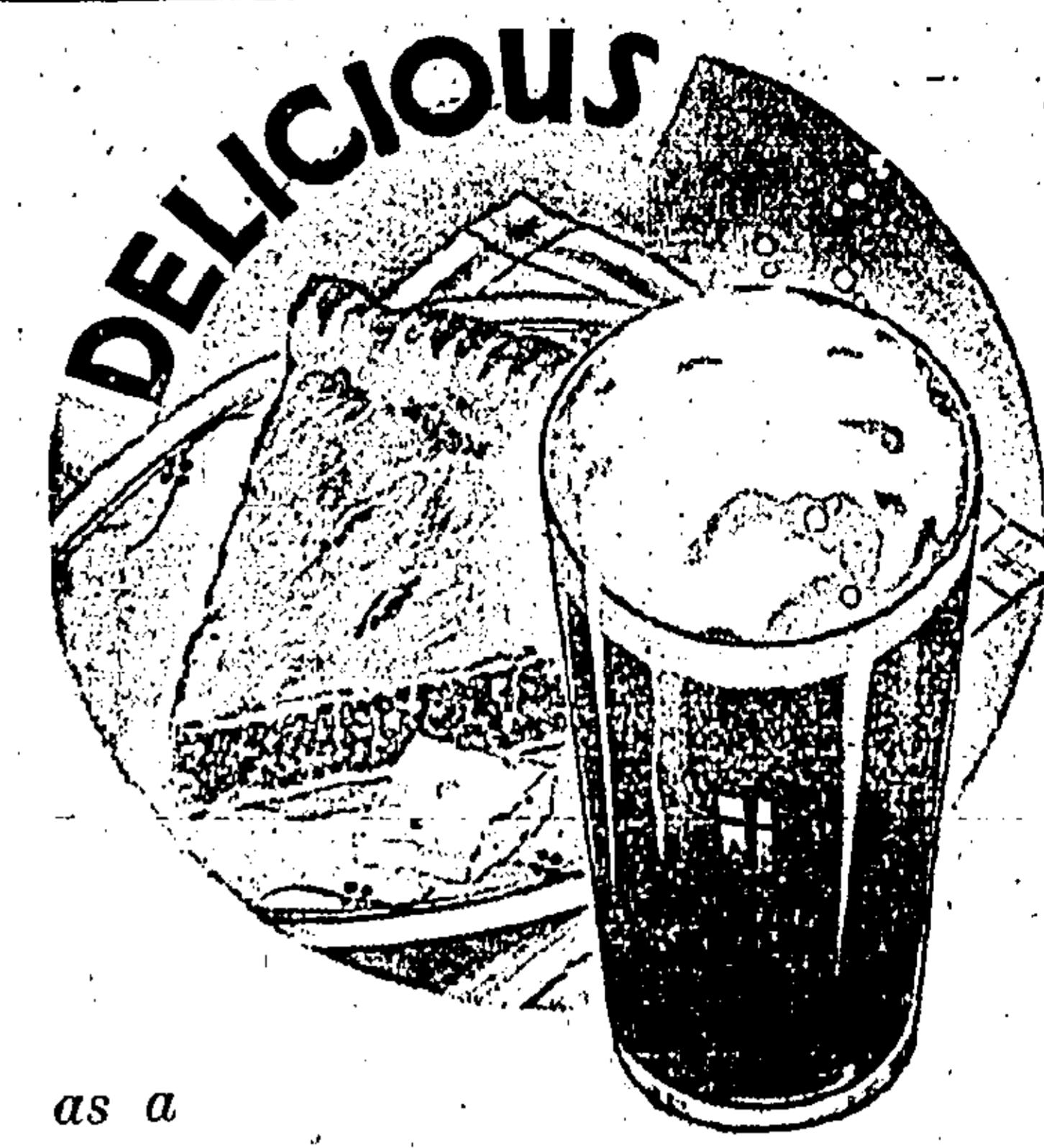
Manson's reply was inaudible.

Mr. Brooks.—On March 12 you attended another identification parade and you picked out the man O'Brien. After that parade was over, did you make another statement in writing, and is that your signature?

Manson examined the statement and said that the signature was his and the statement was read over to him before he signed it.

Mr. Brooks then read the statement, starting at the point: "I immediately identified from among them a man who was one of the four I picked up in my cab at

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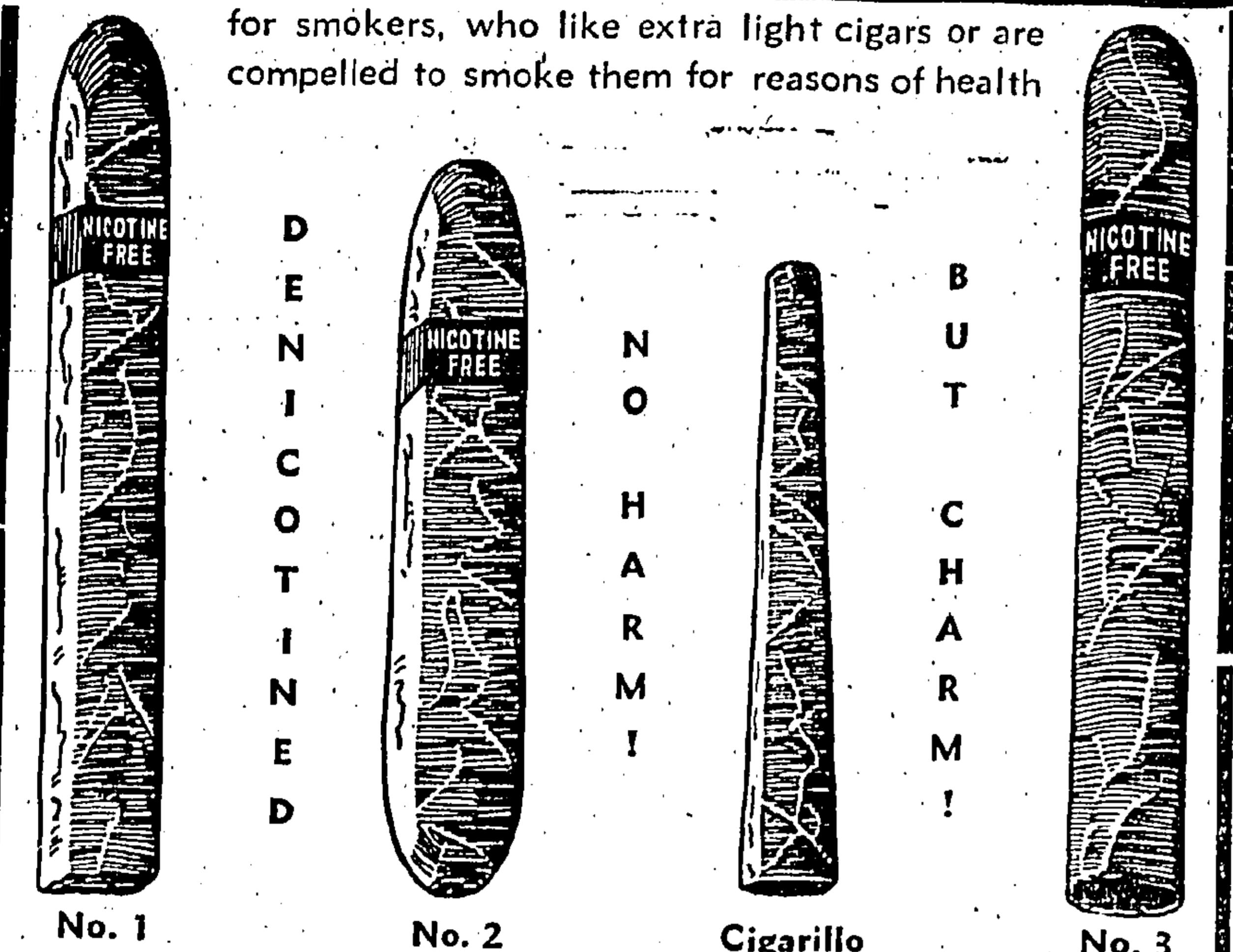
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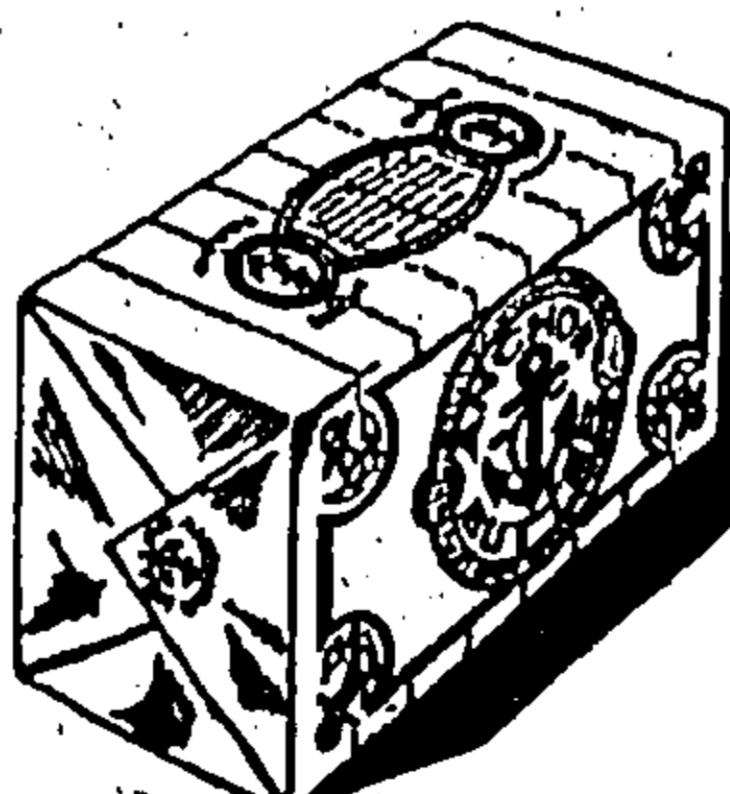
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(By "Veritas")

That the rapid development of badminton in Hongkong was assured and that Interport matches with Shanghai in the near future were now in the realm of probability was emphasised at the Presentation Night to wind up the badminton season held at Taikoo Recreation Club on Thursday.

Mr. S. A. Gray (Hon. Secretary) in a brief review of the first season of badminton under the auspices of the Hongkong Badminton Association said that without unduly putting themselves on the back they could regard the season as being highly successful. Practically all of this was due to the enthusiasm and co-operation of the clubs. They had not been driven by the Association. For there had been no necessity to drive them, but they had all shown extraordinary keenness.

Mr. Gray apologised for the unavoidable absence of the President (Rev. J. R. Higgs), and Mrs. Higgs (and many of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond (Hon. Vice-President) and Mrs. Raymond). The trophies in place of Mrs. Higgs who had been taken ill. Fortunately Mrs. Stewart, wife of Mr. G. H. Stewart, chairman of the Taikoo Club, had come forward at the last minute and consented to perform this task and they were all grateful to her.

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He also expressed the appreciation of the Association for the kindliness of those who had presented trophies. The challenge cup for the Men's "A" Division had been given by Messrs. A. G. Spalding Brothers, while the "B" challenge shield for the Men's "B" Division had been offered by Messrs. G. S. Brothers, Messrs. Danlop, Rubber Co., had given the challenge cup for the Mixed Doubles, while the President's challenge cup for the Ladies' Doubles had been donated by Rev. J. R. Higgs. They also owed a debt of gratitude to Mr. E. M. Raymond for presenting the silver spoons to the winning teams.

The trophies were then handed to the winning clubs by Mrs. Stewart, the champions being: Men's "A" Division, Elliot Hall; Men's "B" Division, Club de Recreio; Mixed Doubles, Club de Recreio; Ladies' Doubles, Club de Recreio. A vote of thanks was proposed to Mr. Stewart by Mr. Ezra Abraham (Hon. Vice-President), who said that the Association could regard this first season with satisfaction. They were also indebted to the Taikoo Recreation Club for the use of its magnificent hall and on behalf of the Association he wished to thank Mr. Stewart and the committee of the club for kindly putting the hall at their disposal.

Mr. Stewart in response said it gave Taikoo R.C. real pleasure in offering their hall for that night's function and Taikoo would always be willing to offer assistance to the Association. He thought Taikoo should feel indebted to the clubs and players who had given such an entertaining display of badminton that evening.

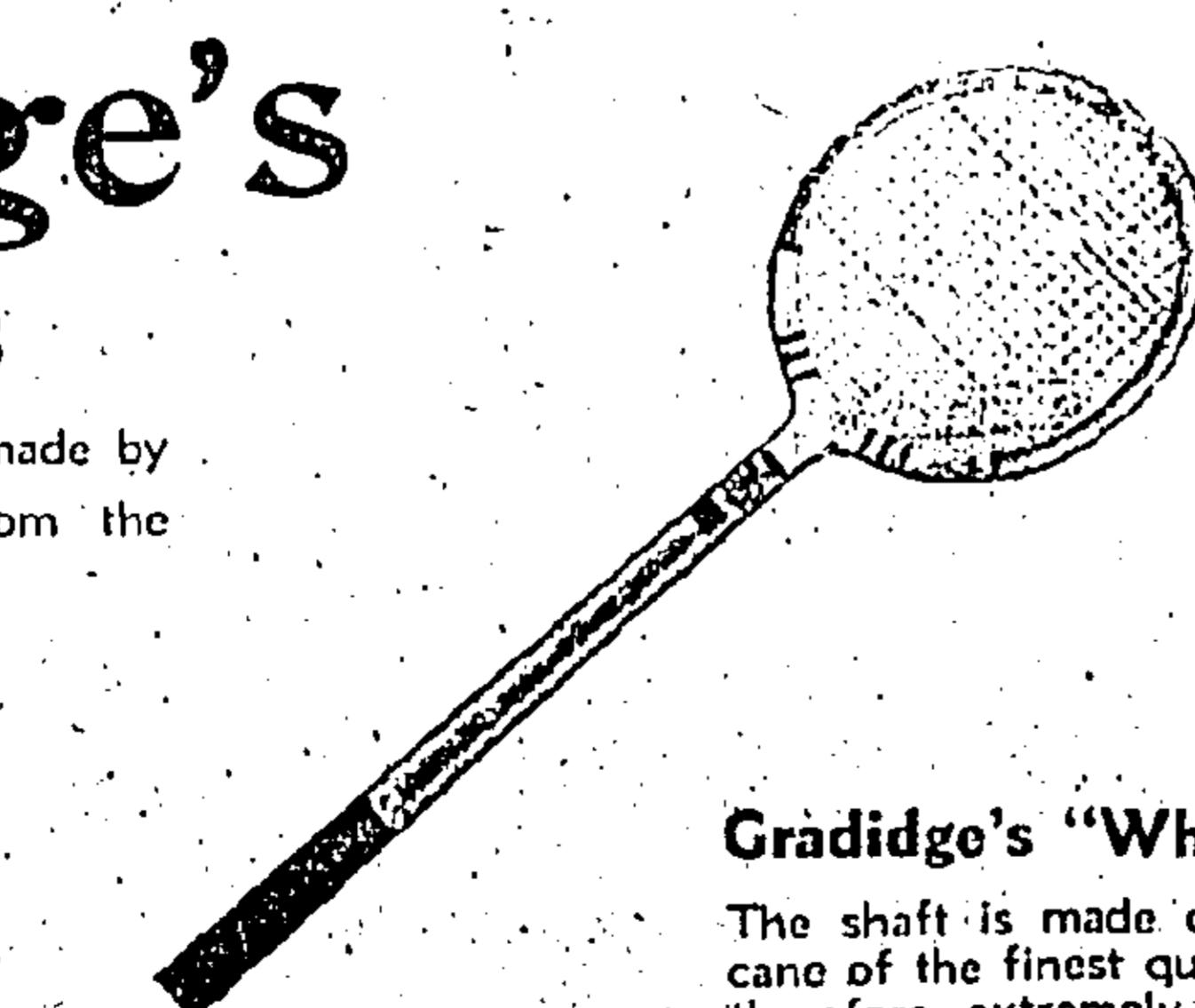
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RACE 3.

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RACE 4.

Bistro
Valorous
The Tiger

RACE 5.

Rose Ann
King's Jubilee
High Honour

RACE 6.

Double Chance
Valley View
Wadebridge

RACE 7.

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R. Engineers	16	12	0	4	42	8
Police H.C.	16	11	2	3	41	12
St. Andrews	16	9	2	3	32	21
Radio	16	9	4	1	35	10
R.C.S.	16	7	4	5	35	30
United	16	7	6	3	25	22
R.A.S.	14	4	6	2	21	12
H.M.S. Suffolk	13	4	6	3	24	21
University	14	2	6	3	13	10
H.M.S. Cornwall	12	2	6	4	14	8
H.M.S.	9	3	5	1	13	7
Cornwall	16	1	10	4	7	43
H.M.S.	5	2	2	1	6	8
Medway	5	2	2	1	6	5
I.M.S.	11	2	8	1	10	28
Duncan	11	2	8	1	10	25
12th Bty. R.A.	13	1	10	2	6	25
C.B.A.	5	1	2	2	6	7
H.M.S. Dauntless	11	1	10	0	9	42
LEADING GOAL SCORERS	28					
G. Singh (K.I.T.C.)	17					
W. O. I. Senior (R.A.S.C.)	13					
Sgt. Wase (Police)	12					
Sgt. Wood (R.E.)	12					
E. Fischer (St. Andrews)	12					
Sgt. Perkins (Police)	11					
Sgt. Pegg (R.E.)	11					
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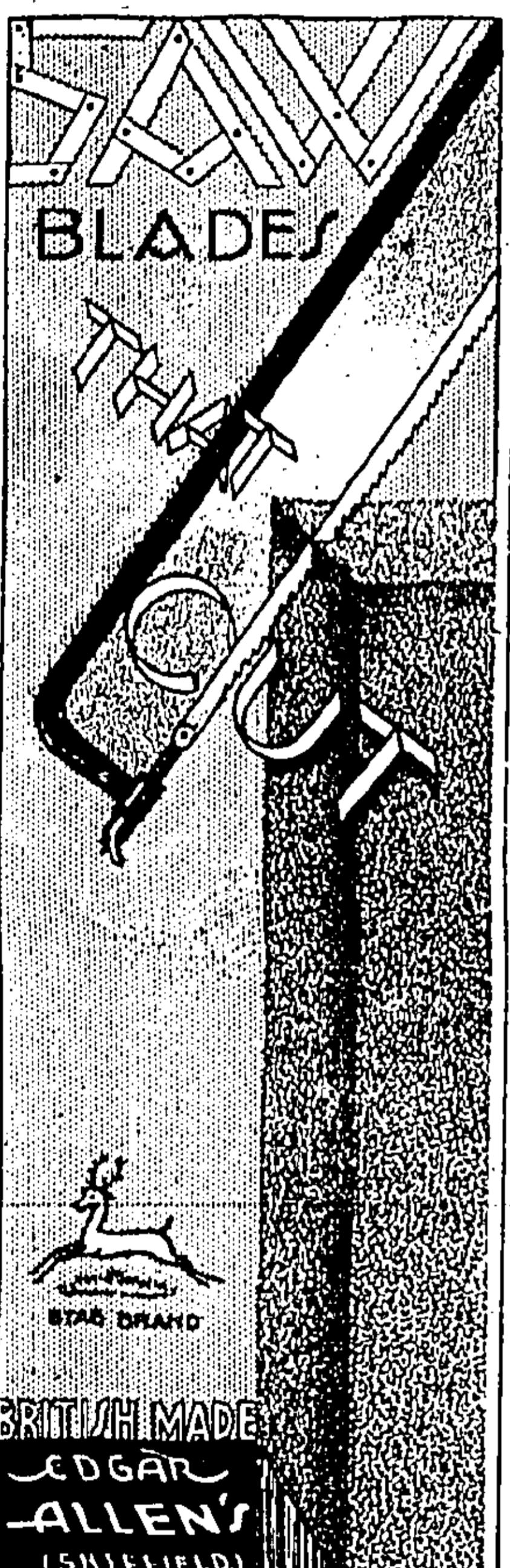
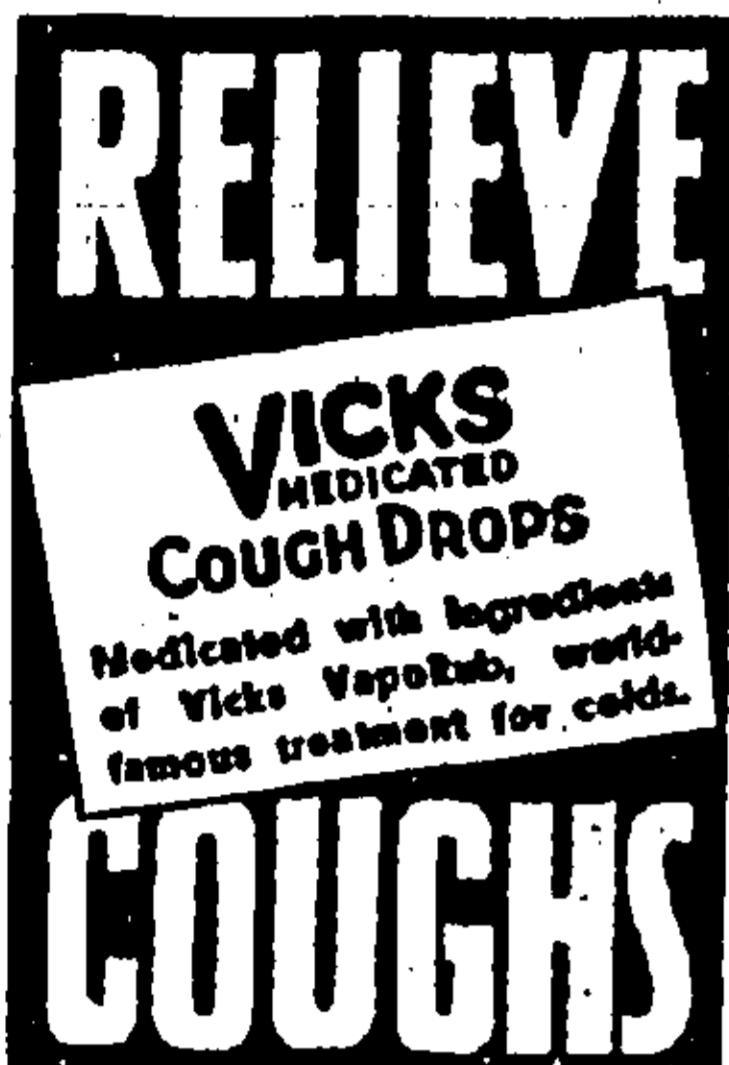
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HOW CIVIL SERVICE FARED

Season Reveals Sad Need Of New Blood

(By R. Abbit)

The Civil Service was once again very weak and sadly need some new blood to give the side a fillip. They won one, drew two and lost five League games, and won two, lost eight, and drew five in all.

Although the result of the season's matches makes very dismal reading, several of the Civil Service defeats were occasioned only after close games.

That against the Club de Recreio in the League was brought about off the last ball of the game and after declaring in the friendly game against Cringewower they were beaten in the last over.

The season was rather a patchy one in more ways than one since they played 6 games without defeat at the beginning of the season which was followed by a run of four defeats. Blank Saturdays too caused a disjointed programme and lack of interest.

Although strengthened by the inclusion of Perry and Griffiths the batting of the side as a whole was again not dependable.

The usual opening batsmen, Sayer and Richardson, could not get going, and a reshuffling of the batting order brought no greater success.

The highest individual scores were a 79 not out versus the H.K.C.C. (friendly) and a 68 not out versus the Volunteers (friendly) by Richardson, and a 66 by Griffiths against the Royal Navy (friendly).

Perry and R. M. Wood both ended the half century, the former making 51 not out versus the Army (friendly), and 52 versus the Volunteers and the latter scoring 56 against the University (league).

Sayer was the most consistent but in 13 innings only failed to reach double figures on three occasions; his highest score, however, was only 37.

In the bowling Baker and Perry shared the brunt of the attack the former getting 29 wickets at an average cost of 16.31 and the latter 26 wickets at a cost of 18.58 each. Sayer obtained 15 wickets for 19.13 apiece but Richardson was very expensive for his 14 wickets cost 34.29 each.

The outstanding bowling programme was Perry's eight for 63 versus the University (league), when he bowled better than he has ever done before in the Colony, whilst Sayer had six for 43 versus the Indian R.C. (league) and Baker five for 48 versus the H.K.C.C. (friendly).

The fielding of the side was an improvement on that in past seasons, but there is still the same tendency to fail to stop in the positions in which the bowler has set his field—and also a lack of anticipation.

Fieldsmen should remember to keep a continuing eye on the Captain and the bowler in case either wishes to make an unobtrusive change in the position of the field without drawing the batsman's attention to it!

R. M. Wood kept wicket consistently throughout the season, his best being I stumped and 4 cts versus the University (league).

Prospects for the 1935-36 season appear to be brighter than for many years as it is anticipated that Griffiths and McLellan will be rejoining the Club in all matches on their return from leave towards the end of the year. The former will be a great help to the batting and the latter as an all rounder will be most useful.

The following figures rather tell a tale!

BATTING

	No. of	Ints. N.O.	Buns.	H.S. Av.	J. E. Richardson	14	2	282	79	25.50
R. B. Griffiths	4	0	125	65	10.37					
G. R. Sayer	13	6	228	54	19.00					
F. Baker	14	3	170	37	16.00					
J. Barrow	13	1	135	30	11.25					
H. G. Wellington	12	0	110	66	9.17					
N. J. Babbington	11	2	137	54	15.50					
B. C. K. Hawks	8	0	91	10	3.38					

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BOWLING

O. M.	R.	W.	Aver.
F. Baker	163.4	27	473
D. Perry	137	12	20
G. R. Sayer	105.5	6	23
J. E. Richardson	98.5	6	180
			14.07

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TO-DAY'S PROSPECTS AT THE VALLEY

PUNTERS HAVE A WIDE FIELD FOR SELECTION

OAK BAY'S CHANCE TO JUSTIFY HIS PROMOTION

(By "Capt. Foster")

The opening event of to-day's race meeting, The Canton Handicap, a "once round and in" affair for "B" Class, will see Hetman run his first race since his demotion. Actually his last appearance was against nothing but "B" Class animals, but that was a "condition" race for non-winners, where he failed even to get a place, but the going was miles deep that day and he likes to hear his hoofs rattle.

Should Rose Queen accept here in preference to the St. George's Plate I think she will run very close. Ribble, also, I like (he did a very fast mile on Wednesday), but I don't fancy either of the "Soldier" or the other two Dynasties candidates. Macaroni does not appear to be ready yet; Bright View prefers it soft, while Brilliant Star has not been out far this year and I know nothing about him.

THE WUCHOW HANDICAP

One cannot but feel that if Soldier of Honour was sound and ran up to his appearance which left London on 13th March and gave instructions to umpires as to the course, they should adopt it if they think that the bowler is deliberately boozing at the second eleven. When I last checked up, they had won one match and lost nine, but they got their matches finished and thoroughly enjoyed their cricket which, after all, is the main point.

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I imagine any Captain would take of the offending bowler promptly; but if he does not, and the thing happens a third time all sorts of things happen.

The over comes to an abrupt close, "dead ball" being called, and the Captain of the fielding side is requested to take the offender off and keep him off for the rest of the innings.

But that is not all. At the first interval in the play the umpire must report the matter to the Captain of the batting side and also to the offender's Club and to the M.C.C. What happens then is not said but, I really cannot conceive matters going so far.

I have mentioned this as it is a most interesting matter, but I fancy it applies only to First and Second Class County Cricket.

I am under the impression that these Instructions are issued to Umpires who are officially placed on the M.C.C.'s list of Umpires, who preside over the type of cricket I have mentioned.

Of course, wherever possible, the umpires in Club Cricket follow both the Rules of Cricket and the supplementary instructions, which are particularly important in knotty points which do not come clearly under any particular law.

But I cannot think that any umpire, save one on the M.C.C. list, has a right to report a player to the M.C.C. even under the new rule. I speak subject to correction, but I believe that an official umpire has always had the right to report a cricketer to the M.C.C. for abusive behaviour or questioning a decision, subject possibly to a prior reference to the offender's Captain which produces no satisfaction.

I wonder if any of my readers can inform me of the actual facts.

As I say, I cannot imagine matters going to such a length, especially here. If I were umpiring and I thought that a bowler was trying this sort of attack, I should warn him first and ask his Captain to take him off if he did it again.

There is, to my mind, one great point to be remembered in Club Cricket. It is one of the games which you can go on playing when you are just your first youth.

Few men play rugger when they are past 35. A man can be a most valuable member of a club side for ten or fifteen years longer than that, but as he gets older, his eye is not so quick, and, though he must take his fair reward in the game, it is not "cricket" to bowl at a man who is not physically equal to taking the full penalty if this form of attack is not accurate. I don't mean that I am

condoning it in any case, but the fact remains that if the attack on the body is done unskillfully against a really good, quick-sighted, quick-footed batsman, the bowler is going to get seven balls knocked out of him.

I have been reading a lot of old cricket books lately and there is no doubt that the old fast bowlers did attack the batsmen—but not with a packed leg field. But in Club Cricket there should not be the slightest suggestion of such a method of attack and to my mind such a matter rests far more with the Captains of the various Clubs than with the Umpires.

NEXT WEEK

I hope to continue my review of the past season in my notes on

Wednesday next, when I shall deal with University Cricket and possibly with I.R.C. I hope to hear soon from the H.K.C.C., K.C.C., and Cringewower—also the Police—(unprofessionally of course!).

I might point out to Secretaries that though I am no doubt an awful nuisance, some of their players like to have a note of the season in tabloid form so that they can cut it out for their press-books. I know I wish now I had kept cutting, etc., during all my cricketing days. It is when one gets near giving up the game that one likes to turn up the records of the past.

THE KILDIA HANDICAP

I expect to see a nice race here. If Alacria starts I look to him to pull off his sprint. His performance at the final meeting of 1934 when, with 135 lbs., he beat a field of "A" Class horses is still a hot memory, and I can see nothing here to catch him if he can re-produce that form. After him I like St. Joan and Goldsmith, in this order. I doubt if Snowy River will perform as well as he did that day in the mud. Shooting Star cracked up rather too early in her last outing to be impressive, even at this shorter distance. Vixen Tor is, I think, a bit of a xixen, and the rest I don't care for.

THE KONGMUN STAKES

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many of whom have little right, the final event has run into a place as far as one can see, to claim admittance to the grass course except those have not started at the Valley, between the shafts of the roller, though the former ran some nice races for his owner-riders out at Fanling. These with at least some pretensions to what he liked with the rest of the Fanling jumpers, but they were a very indifferent lot. This, by the way, will be his first appearance in this division, and he might well pull off a surprise, but he was very big when I saw him last and I would hesitate to tip him—I would rather advise "watch him."

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SERIAL STORY

SILKEN SPINDLES

by Laura Lee Brookman

CHAPTER XLVI

A tall, leather-visaged man named Jasper Wilkins told them what had happened. Steve had been carried into his own room. Doctor Carr was there now, and Mrs. Meyers was there.

Gale and Josie and the men who had carried Steve home waited outside the closed door. Jasper explained that Steve had been defending himself from the leader of the gang that had broken up the mill workers' meeting. Getting the best of the fight, too, until another of the gang, coming up from behind, had struck Steve with a club. He had fallen a moment before the room had been plunged into darkness.

Everyone had fled then, Jasper said. He himself had slipped through a rear door, stumbling against Joe Gillispie. Together they had made their way to the next house, waited with others who had gathered there.

"But what about Steve?" Gale begged.

"I'm comin' to that," Jasper went on. "We waited a while but nothing happened. All of a sudden someone said, 'I wonder what became of Steve?'"

"None of us knew. I remembered seein' a fellow smashin' Steve on the head and seein' him fall. 'Maybe he's still there,' I said. 'Maybe he didn't get out.'

"We decided we'd better go back and look. Sure enough, there he was—lyin' on the floor just where he'd fallen. He was rolled over, sort of, and there was blood on the side of his face. His eyes was shut but his heart was beatin'."

"Joe went back and got some of the others to help and we rigged up the stretcher we brought him home on. We knew he was hurt bad and one of the boys went for Doctor Carr."

That was the story. Doctor Carr had been at work behind the closed door ever since.

Josie said, anxiously, "It's takin' a long time."

Yes, it was taking a long time—eternity. Gale pressed his hands together until the knuckles stood out white. She saw Steve's face again as he had looked, lying on the stretcher, so white except for the ugly, dark stain. She heard his mother's tortured cry.

Josie touched Gale's arm. "Don't take it so hard, honey," she said. "Steve's goin' to be all right."

"Oh, Josie—if he shouldn't!"

"But he will! Steve's strong."

Yes, Steve was strong. He always had been. Strong enough to help others, to put them before himself. Gale thought of the night he had gone out to find Phil, and how, only the day before he had persuaded a lawyer to defend her brother. Oh, there were a thousand ways Steve had been helpful, spending himself generously to help others. Little things he had done for her father. Favours for others at the mill. Loans he had made when he could not afford them. It was endless—the elation of Steve's good deeds.

Gale whispered again, "Oh, Josie—if he shouldn't get well."

The door of the bedroom opened then and Doctor Carr came out. Doctor Carr, whose red face was usually as jolly, was not smiling.

"Doctor?"

The physician shook his head. "Very serious," he said. "Very serious."

"But Doctor?"

"There's nothing more we can do," the physician said. "I haven't given up hope, but Mrs. Meyers should have some time with her the rest of the night."

"I'll stay," Gale said quickly. "Josie will you stop and tell Mary where I am?"

"Of course."

The doctor gave Gale instructions.

"I've told Mrs. Meyers all this," he said. "Poor woman—do what you can for her."

"Yes, doctor."

"I have another case to go to," the doctor went on. "I'll look in again on my way back."

"You might want a man handy," Jasper Wilkins said to Gale. "I'll wait in the kitchen."

"Thank you, Jasper."

When the others had gone Gale

opened the bedroom door gently.

Steve's mother was on her knees beside the bed, her head pressed against

her son's arm. Steve's eyes were closed and he looked as though he were sleeping. There was a bandage across his forehead.

Gale said, "Mrs. Meyers, I'm going to stay with you to-night."

The woman did not look up but her hand found the girl's, clung to it. She said, "Oh, Gale, they wouldn't take him from me! He's all I have—Steve my baby!"

Her shoulders rose and fell spasmodically. Gale's fingers pressed the hand in her. What was there to say?

Presently, Mrs. Meyers straightened, drew her eyes.

"The doctor's coming back," Gale told her.

"Yes, I know."

Gale was never to forget that vigil in the house, completely silent, the room with its sparse neat furnishings, the single light shaded so that the glare would not fall on the bed. She was never to forget Steve, lying so still against the pillows, his mother at his bedside, bent and weeping.

There was Steve's desk with the books he had been reading. There was the puzzle he had been telling about earlier in the evening—a giant nut caricature he had picked up somewhere. And there was a pair of cardholder he had picked up somewhere and a worn pair of boxing gloves. Steve's sweater on a chair. The dresser with the brushes she had given him once for Christmas.

Once Mrs. Meyers looked across at the girl and said, choking, "It's good of you to be here. He'd—he'd want me—if he knew."

Gale rose and went to the older woman's side. "If only there was something we could do!" she said.

"Yes, if only there was—"

The long hours dragged on. Toward morning the hush was broken by a bird's song. The caroling notes, soaring gaily, seemed brutal. How could there be quiet in the world with Steve close to death?

A little later Jasper Wilkins came to the door. Gale rose and answered his questions. No, there was no clinging so far as he could tell. Gale asked Jasper if he would like some coffee and offered to make it for him. He said no, if she'd show him where it was kept he'd make the coffee himself.

Gale went to the kitchen and presently was back. The silent waiting went on.

It was just before dawn that there was a bright motion under the counterpane. Mrs. Meyers leaned forward. "Steve!" she said, "speak to me. Oh, say something!"

Slowly Steve's eyelids flickered, opened. For a moment he stared blankly, then recognition came into his eyes.

"Mother—" His mother said, "Yes, darling?" There were tears on her cheeks but she was smiling. "What is it? Is there anything I can do, anything you want?"

"Mother," the whisper was stronger now. "Tell Gale—"

"But she's here, Steve!" Mrs. Meyers turned toward the girl. "See she's right here."

Gale said, "Oh, Steve!" and could not go on.

"You're—all right?"

"Yes, of course. And so are you. At least you're going to be. Oh, Steve, you must hurry and get well! We—we need you now."

Steve's lips moved faintly but no words came. Gale, on her knees now, went on swiftly. "Steve, you asked me to marry you—I—I want to have the wedding right away. To-morrow if the doctor says it's all right. I'll be married here in this room. I'll get licensed—I'll see about everything!"

Steve, against the pillows, smiled. "To-morrow," he said. "Mother—did you hear?"

"Yes, darling. And I'm so happy for you. Happy for both of you!" She bent her head so that he could not see her tears.

"To-morrow," Steve repeated, and then a moment later, "Tired. Guess I'll sleep."

"That's right." It was as though he were a child again. His mother went on soothingly. "Try to get your rest. It's what you need. You want to get all the rest you can."

The words drifted to an end. Steve's eyes were closed now. The coverlet, over his chest, rose and fell. Slowly. Faintly. A lock of his hair had fallen on his forehead and it gave

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BRITISH WATER PROBLEM

NO ANXIETY FOR SUMMER

London, April 18. During the debate on the adjournment of the House of Commons, the water problem, which caused considerable anxiety in some parts of Britain last summer was raised, and Opposition members protested against the inadequacy of the measures taken to prevent a recurrence.

For the Ministry of Health, Mr. Gouffroy Shakespeare, replying, said that in reference to last year's experience the country had weathered the worst drought in British history without any real hardship in areas covered by 1,600 water undertakings. The drought, however, revealed certain directions in which the water supply was inadequate, and under emergency legislation 36 orders had been issued to deal with the situation in these areas.

The outlook for the future was, however, encouraging. A year ago, reservoirs were depleted. Now they were full. Yesterday a meeting of experts formed the opinion that, owing to the efficiency of the water supply, even if there was a dry summer, they could look forward without any apprehension of drought.—*British Wireless*.

SAFETY ON THE ROADS

NEW HIGHWAY CODE PREPARED

London, April 18. A new edition of the highway code, which has been revised in the light of recent legislation and regulations and is designed to make for greater safety on the roads, will come up for approval by Parliament soon after Easter.

The code lays down rules of conduct for all road-users, including pedestrians, and the Transport Minister is credited with the intention of bringing it to the notice of all householders by sending a copy to each by post.

The printing of the code is said to be the biggest task ever undertaken by the Government Stationery Office.—*British Wireless*.

ROYAL CHARITY

London, April 18. The Duchess of York and her daughter, Princess Elizabeth, attended the service at Westminster Abbey to-day, when, as is the custom on the Thursday before Easter Monday, money was distributed. It is one of the oldest royal charities.—*British Wireless*.

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